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#### SOUNDS OF CHRISTMAS CONCERT DECEMBER 17

The North Shore Philharmonic Orchestra will make its traditional visit to Revere on Sunday, December 17 at 4:00 p.m. when Music Director Robert Lehmann conducts the annual Robert A. Marra Memorial "Sounds of Christmas" Concert at St.

## **Rizzo** seeks recount Mayoral election recount approved by commissioners

By Adam Swift

A recount of the city's Nov. 7 mayoral election has been approved by the city's Board of Election Commissioners. Councillor-at-Large

Dan Rizzo successfully filed for the recount after losing the race to Acting Mayor Patrick Keefe by a little over 350 votes in the unofficial results. On



Where everybody knows your name, is positively the truth. The annual Corner Reunion at DeMaino's Restaurant took place on Monday evening, bringing family and friends together for the Thanksgiving Holiday. See more photos on Page 16.

Monday night, the Board of Election Commissioners approved moving ahead with the recount, which will be held in two segments on Friday, Dec. 1 and Saturday, Dec. 2, according to Election Commissioner Paul Fahey. Rizzo, who was elected

to a single term in office before losing two close contests to former Mayor Brian Arrigo, released a statement that said it was important for every vote to be counted.

"It is important to me and our committee that ev-

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## License Comm. approves one-day licenses

#### By Journal Staff

The Revere License Commission held its regular monthly meeting last Wednesday, November 15, in the City Council Chamber. On hand for the session were chair Robert Selevitch and commissioner Linda Guinasso.

The first matter on the agenda was a request from Jesus D. Torres of 127 Winthrop Avenue for a 1-day Malt/Wine & Entertainment License to be exercised in the gymnasium of the Immaculate Conception School at 127 Winthrop Avenue on Saturday, December 9, from 7 p.m.–11 p.m. The event

is a concert to raise funds for church programs. The expected number of attendees is 150–180.

In response to a question from Selevitch, Mr. Torres, who is the event manager, explained to the commissioners that the alcohol will be dispensed by four adult volunteers and bracelets will be made available only to those over the age of 21. He also said that two of the servers are TIPS-certified. The music will consist of a four-person band.

There were no oppo-

application from Revere Parks & Recreation for a 1-day Malt/Wine & Mobile Food Vendor License to be exercised on Friday, November 24, from 2 p.m.-6 p.m. at the gymnasium in the Rumney Marsh Academy. The event is a cornhole tournament. The expected number of attendees is 140.

Mike Hinojosa, the Director of Revere Parks and Rec., presented the application. He said only residents over the age of 21 will be able to participate in the tournament.

## SENIOR CENTER HOLDS THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON



Anthony's Church.

The concert has been a staple of Revere's holiday season since 1976. Admission is free to everyone who brings a generous donation of non-perishable food to benefit the Revere Food Pantry.

Concert co-chair Robert A. Marra Jr. expressed gratitude to the concert sponsors. "We are grateful for the support of the East Boston Neighborhood Health Center. MassPort, Comcast, Astound Broadband, Action Emergency Services, and of course Bocchino Insurance," he said. "Cochair of this concert Dom Bocchino stepped up in 2006 and Bocchino Insurance has been an integral part of this concert ever since." Marra also noted that Comcast has been involved in the concert going back to 1991.

"It's a wonderful time for everyone, and a time of happiness and generosity," said Marra. "The Revere Food Pantry does such important work in our community, and the concert gives so many people the

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nents and the commission unanimously approved the application.

The next matter was an

Murray's Tavern will handle the service of alcohol

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## RHS World Languages inducts new members into National Honor Society

#### Special to the Journal

universi-А recent ty study has shown that studying world languages creates more positive attitudes and less prejudice toward people who are different. Studying a world language also improves skills and grades in math and English, encourages respect for other people, expands one's view of the world, makes one more flexible and tolerant, limits the barriers between people and improves the chances of getting a

good-paying job.

Earlier this month, Revere High School (RHS) juniors and seniors who are rigorously studying Spanish, Italian or French were inducted into the school's World Language National Honor Society.

For over two decades, Revere Public Schools (RPS) has offered World Language studies and the opportunity for the most proficient high school students to be invited into the Spanish, French or Italian Honor Societies. RPS is also excited to be launchi n g the Japanese Honor Society at CityLab High School this year.

"Since the language honor societies are separate national organizations, the requirements are a little different for each society, but generally, the students have to have a good overall GPA, an even better GPA in the language that they study and must participate in the national competition exam for their language," said Language Development Coach Anne Chalupka. "Students have to complete a certain number of years (of a language) and are then nominated at the end of their second semester. They have to be in good standing overall, so no discipline issues, academic dishonesty or anything like that. So, they're upstanding citizens and they have performed well in their language courses."

All Revere High School students have the opportunity to study Spanish, French and Italian from Level 1 all the way to Advanced Placement, and many students are thriving.

Take, for example, RHS senior Safaa Laroussi, who leads the Spanish Honor Janet Curtis brings two great tasting dinners from Murray's Tavern to her table during the Rossetti-Cowan Senior Center Thanksgiving Luncheon at the Beachmont VFW on Monday, Nov. 21. See more photos on Page 13.

## **Revere Police receive JAG grant**

#### By Adam Swift

Last week, the Healey-Driscoll administration announced that Revere was one of 130 police departments across the state awarded an Edward J. Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (JAG).

The Revere Police Department received \$13,469 of the \$5 million in funds awarded by the Department of Justice to the Office of Grants and Research (OGR). The grants are meant to help police departments address their unmet public safety priorities.

As part of the competitive grant process, applicant police departments submitted proposals in early 2023. Grant reviewers identified projects that aligned with specific priority areas, including strategies to address unlawful drug use, human trafficking, domestic violence, sexual assault, gang and gun violence, missing person cases, and hate crimes. Additional priorities funded by this grant include technology upgrades, in-

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THANKSGIVING DAY FOOTBALL GAME 10 A.M. @ HARRY DELLA RUSSO STADIUM REVERE HIGH SCHOOL VS. WINTHROP HIGH SCHOOL

## **Recount** // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

ery single vote was counted and that the people who took the time to either early vote, mail in vote, or absentee vote are ensured that their vote was adequately represented in the final totals," Rizzo stated. "I had asked for a reconciliation of all the ballots, which was refused, so there was no other way to receive that information other than filing for a formal recount. This is part of the political process, and I look forward to completing the recount in a timely manner."

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Keefe, who took over as Acting Mayor early in the year when Arrigo left for the top job at the DCR, released his own statement in response to Rizzo's request for the recount.

"It is truly disheartening, that after having conceded, my opponent has made the decision to pursue an unnecessary and costly recount of an election he lost," stated Keefe.

Keefe went on to note that while the recount was disheartening, it was not surprising, given that Rizzo also requested a recount in one of his losses to Arrigo. However, Keefe noted that his margin of victory was widest of any Rizzo has requested a recount for.

Throughout the campaign, Keefe said there were no questions or concerns raised about the city's handling of early voting, and that both campaigns were present to monitor the process.

Fahey said that if there are any questions about the integrity of a vote or problems with voting or ballots, they should be directed to the election office.

In his statement, Keefe also claimed that supporters and observers from Rizzo's camp "found it necessary to throw racially charged accusations" at some voters, but found no reason to actually file a claim with the election officials present.

Keefe said he will not let the recount process slow down his administration.

"In the coming days, our administration will move forward with a transition team and inauguration plans," Keefe stated. "City Hall will continue to work on behalf of its residents. Brighter days are ahead for our city. May we all look forward to celebrating a bright holiday season together."

The first portion of the recount will take place on Friday, Dec. 1 beginning at 9 a.m., when the election department will sort the cast ballots into blocks of 50 for the hand count at City Hall in the council chambers. There will be 10 clerks blocking the ballots in preparation for the recount.

The recount itself will take place on Saturday, Dec. 2 beginning at 9 a.m. at the Revere High School Gymnasium, fieldhouse entrance. There will be 24 tally clerks hand counting the ballots and recording the count results, according to Fahey.

The cost of the recount will be borne by the city, Fahey added. The final cost will depend on factors including the overtime and detail pay for police officers and maintenance workers at the high school and the pay for the clerks. Fahey estimated the final cost could be around \$20,000-\$25,000.

### HAPPY 50TH BIRTHDAY SERENA HANLON

Recently Serina Hanlon celebrated her 50th birthday at a party at the Revere Lodge of Elks, where

she is a member. Family and friends all turned out to offer her congratulations and enjoy a night together. A delicious buffet was served from Michael G's in Chelsea.



Serena Hanlon turned 50, and being a member of the Revere Elks, her brothers and sisters from Lodge 1171 on Shirley Ave all turned out to wish her a very happy birthday.



Serena Hanlon is shown with her partner, George Travis, who threw the party for her to enjoy being with her family and friends on this special day.



All in the family, all wishing Serena happy birthday. Kristina Basler, John Hanlon, Serena Hanlon, George Travis and Christine Rich.

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chance to help our neighbors."

The concert program will include traditional holiday music and an original holiday-themed narration by a Revere High School student. "The concert bears my father's name," said Marra, "and I am sure he'd be so pleased that his beloved North Shore Philharmonic Orchestra carries on this tradition, and that an RHS student has a role in this concert."

#### REVERE STUDENTS IN IGNITE READING'S TUTORING PROGRAM

In the first full school year after the launch of Ignite Reading's partner-

ship with Revere Public Schools (RPS), the organization announced today that students participating in the virtual, one-to-one literacy tutoring program have recorded an average of over two weeks of reading progress per week, with no achievement gap for students of color, students with IEPs, multilingual learners, or students receiving free or reduced-price lunches. Ignite Reading officials joined leaders and students at A.C. Whelan Elementary today to showcase the nationally recognized program. The demonstration was followed by a Q&A session.

Revere Public Schools

also announced that enrollment in Ignite Reading will serve 375 1st - 3rd grade students this fall. Ignite Reading is now serving students in 60 schools across the commonwealth.

"We are absolutely delighted to share the remarkable literacy progress our students achieved through this innovative collaboration with Ignite Reading. Participating students have gained vital foundational skills for their reading journeys. Moreover, the program's capacity to foster success for students from diverse backgrounds and with distinct learning styles has been impressive. We look forward to continuing this partnership well into the future," said Briana Tsoupas, Revere Public Schools Assistant Director of Curriculum & Title I Director.

Ignite Reading pairs students with expert tutors who deliver daily, 15-minute, Science of Reading-based instruction to help them master the key foundational skills that equip them to become independent readers. The one-to-one virtual program is seamlessly integrated into the school day and takes some of the burden off teachers by providing individualized instruction for every student.

The company is now teaching thousands of students to read across eight states with further plans to expand nationwide. In addition to Massachusetts, Ignite Reading is partner-

ing with schools and districts to serve thousands of students in Arkansas, California, Colorado, Indiana, Mississippi, New York, and Oregon this fall.

"We are excited about deepening our collaboration with Revere schools to empower hundreds of more local students with enhanced literacy skills. Through Ignite Reading's one-on-one tutoring approach, students are not just meeting, but exceeding anticipated benchmarks, making over two weeks of reading progress for every week in the program. Alongside the marked improvement in literacy, we are also witnessing a significant positive impact on their social-emotional development. It is a privilege to continue serving Revere's exceptional students, families, and educational institutions," said Jessica Reid Sliwerski, Founder & CEO of Ignite Reading.

Ignite Reading's mission is to ensure that every student is a confident, independent reader by the end of first grade. The organization was co-founded by CEO Jessica Reid Sliwerski and Evan Marwell, Executive Chairman of Ignite and CEO of EducationSuperHighway. Ignite Reading pairs schools with a dedicated literacy specialist and a team of virtual reading tutors, all highly trained in the Science of Reading, who deliver 1:1 daily instruction to students focused on their specific decoding gaps.



The Revere High School Powderpuff Game is always a highly anticipated event for senior students every year. This year's game was once again versus Winthrop, but away at Miller Field. It was a preview of the rivalry to come again tomorrow morning on Thanksgiving. To watch this year's Powderpuff

Game, tune in to the Community Channel as it replays throughout the month, or find it on RevereTV's YouTube page as a featured video.

The annual Thanksgiving Day Game is tomorrow morning, home at Harry Della Russo Stadium.

Watch from the comfort of your own home while you prepare your big meal with family as the game streams live on RevereTV starting at 10am. This year's football game will be followed by a full day marathon of Thanksgiving football games from the past decade. Watch replays of this year's big game replaying on the Community Channel on weeknights

over the next few weeks. To continue with the marathon theme, Powderpuff games

from the last ten years will play on RevereTV all day on Friday. Relax after your holiday celebration by tuning in to a full day of classic flag football. This marathon will be on the Community Channel which is 8 and 1072 on Comcast, and 3 and 614 on RCN. You must be a cable subscriber in the city of Revere to watch RevereTV on television, otherwise find all

programming produced by RTV on YouTube. We are now turning the corner into another holiday season. Prepare for some themed programming on RevereTV starting with an upcoming baking show with Jennifer Keefe! Jenn is no stranger to the RTV kitchen studio and has been featured

on "What's Cooking, Revere?" before starting her own show now called, "Cooking with the Keefes." Mrs. Keefe also teaches baking classes through Revere Parks and Recreation in the RTV kitchen studio. The RevereTV staff is always happy to sample what she cooks up! You'll be able to follow along with a recipe for the holidays sometime over the next few

weeks. Stay tuned!

Other upcoming new programming includes an episode of the Revere Chamber of Commerce's "The Wave," coverage of the Revere Tree Lighting on December 2nd, new episodes of a Haitian-Creole talk show on Wednesday nights, a program in Spanish called "Conectando," and a December episode of Judie vanKooiman's "Life Issues." Watch RTV GOV on Comcast channel 9 and RCN channels 13/613 to see local government meetings live and replaying every day. This week's replays include the Zoning Sub-Committee, Revere City Council Meeting, Commission on Disabilities, License Commission, and Traffic Commission.

## JAG Grants // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

vestigative tools and protective gear, school safety and security, and efforts to advance racial equity and support underserved communities.

The Revere Police Department applied for a \$20,227 grant to help fund school and community outreach programs, as well as to expand and enhance domestic violence services, according to Police Chief David Callahan.

"Since Covid, domestic violence cases and matters have dramatically increased, and the numbers continue to be up and high, so we use that for additional training and supplementing the domestic violence unit with overtime," Callahan told the City Council in August.

Some of the community outreach initiatives funded in part through the JAG program include the boxing program for the schools and the honor guard.

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safer and stronger," said Governor Maura Healey. "This program allows towns and cities to identify their most pressing needs and direct funding to address those challenges. The ability of local public safety leaders to guide funds toward priority safety initiatives encourages a holistic approach to improving safety in communities with diverse needs."

State Secretary of Public Safety and Security Terrence Reidy said the state is committed to pro-

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viding local law enforcement and first responders with the support they need to promote safe communities.

"Investments from programs like this help ensure our communities are safe and thriving," said Lt. Governor Kimberley Driscoll. "The grant awards announced today will ensure that Massachusetts towns and cities have the resources they need to promote the safety of everyone in their communities."

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## Honor Society // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

Society. From a Moroccan family, Safaa already speaks English and Arabic and can understand conversational French. However, in middle school, she decided to tackle learning Spanish.

"The great thing about

Revere is that you can start learning Spanish more early on, so I did Spanish in seventh and eighth grade and then took an online course in Spanish," said Safaa, who is studying AP Spanish this year. "I feel like that set me up



Senior, Malk Hadiba, of the Spanish Honor Society, with her mother, Asmaa Abou-Fouda.



Johanna Soler with her daughter, Johanny Roman, Spanish Honor Society junior.



Italian Honor Society students, Ariana Aguilar, Briana Mendieta, Sarah Piñeda Taborda holding their candles.



Junior, Johanny Roman, Spanish Honor Society.

for success, having started at a younger age, and I feel like it really helped my fluency by the time that I did get to high school."

Safaa said that even though she hasn't taken Spanish for four consecutive years, she was able to develop fluency at a younger age thanks to Revere Public Schools.

"It just carries on with you, and I feel like it's broadened me to not only the language itself but also the culture," said Safaa.

Last summer, Safaa got to travel to Spain and use her language skills abroad.

"I feel like not only did learning the language make it easier for me to travel there, but we were also exposed to the culture of Spain and Latin America in the classroom as well," said Safaa. "I feel going there, for me, opened up a new perspec-



tive on the cultural experience."

Then there is RHS senior Camila Echeverri, who leads the school's Italian Honor Society and was also able to take part in a study abroad program in Italy.

"I started Italian my freshman year and I really loved it," said Camila, who already speaks English and Spanish at home. "The teachers were great and I learned so much to the point where I decided to study abroad to learn more about the language and culture."



PHOTOS BY MARIANNE SALZA Jennifer LaBolita, Director of the Foreign Languages and English Language Learners Department.

Camila said Italy was amazing and it was an awesome experience to be able to converse with people in places like Rome.

"The course at RHS really prepared me for that trip, and most of the Italian I learned in Italian 1, 2 and 3 was super helpful when traveling around Italy," said Camila. "My dad used to live in Italy and he taught me love for the culture and the language, so that's why I decided to take Italian as a freshman and loved it. So, to be able to go there and see my father's friends and travel around was a great expe-

Chalupka added that it's important to note that, like Safaa and Camila, many



Seniors from the Italian Honor Society, Sarah Pineda Taborda, Bella Stamatopoulos, and Briana Mendieta.



Jud'Valine Louis lighting a candle.



Beatriz Martins with her daughter, Julia Martins, senior, and Italian Honor Society.



Glenn Kule receiving a certificate by Ms. Dolores Simonetti, Spanish teacher.

ing each other's candles.



Seniors from the French Honor Society/ Jannet Sehli, Paris Peguero, Karla Leal, and Angelina Montoya.



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of the students enrolled in World Language at RHS are not just bilingual but trilingual or more.

"It is really indicative of our school community and Revere as a whole," said Chalupka. "You know, we are more than ever a multilingual community, and these students really represent the diversity of languages and cultures and all the assets that we have here. It's really something special."



Grace Coffey receiving a certificate by Ms. Dolores Simonetti, Spanish teacher.



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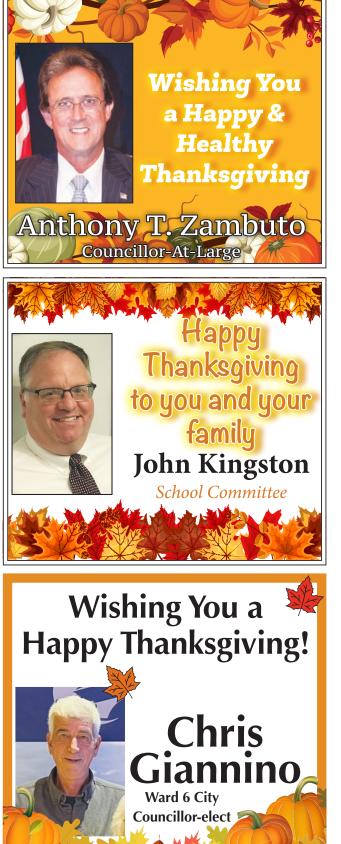
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## A.C. Whelan School hosts Kindergarten ABC Fashion Show

#### By Melissa Moore-Randall

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A.C. Whelan Kindergarteners recently completed their ABC bootcamp. They worked on one letter every day for 26 days. To celebrate their accomplishment, they had an ABC Fashion show last week. Each student was given a vest with their assigned letter. They took the vest home and decorated their vests with their families. It was a true team effort. The Kindergarten teachers collaborated with the art teacher, Ms. Matos, and music teacher, Mr. Delmonte. Ms. Matos worked with the students to complete alphabet art work to hang in the auditorium, and Mr. Delmonte helped the students practice the songs that they sang at the end of the show. The technology teacher, Ms.Paone, recorded the show. The

students ended their show with a parade around the school showing off their vests with pride and excitement.

Principal Rachel Shanley was so excited for the production. "I am so pleased with the Kindergarten ABC Fashion Show. It was a beautiful way to celebrate students alongside families and caregivers. Students, families and staff sang and danced along with our kindergarten students. Today was their day to shine. I'm so proud of all of them. This was a wonderful event for the whole Whelan community. One student said, "I felt like the king of the universe." Thank you to our amazing and dedicated kindergarten team of teachers! Seeing our students smile and beam with pride made my day."



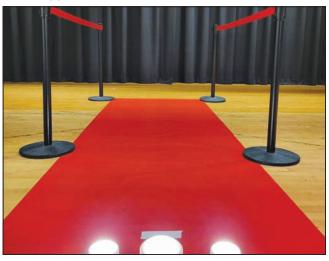
A.C. Whelan Principal Rachel Shanley leading the Kindergarten ABC Parade Fashion Show



An example of the ABC vests created by A.C. Whelan Kindergarten students.



A.C. Whelan Kindergartners walking the hallways to a thunderous applause



The Red Carpet of the A.C. Whelan Kindergarten ABC Fashion Show.

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and food under a tent outside of the gym. The cornhole tournament itself will be held indoors.

"This sounds like a great event," said Guinasso. There were no opponents and the commission unanimously approved the application.

The commission then held a hearing into "latenight noise complaints caused by patrons in Wonderland parking lot. The problem seems to be that people are hanging out in the parking lot after closing time and playing their car radios loudly," said Selevitch, who also noted that patrons are doing spin-outs in the parking lot.

Charles Delpidio, the manager for Wonderland Entertainment, LLC d/b/a Oceanside Events Center, 1290 North Shore Road, said he spoke with the Revere Police detail officer, who said that the police are there with a patrol car with its lights flashing and trying their best to control the situation.

"Thank God it's getting cold out, because that will cause things to calm down. It's just the warmer weather that makes things difficult. " said Delpidio, who noted that the problems actually are occurring in the large MBTA parking lot that is adjacent to the nightclub.

"We realize the difficulty you're facing," said Selevitch. "You just have to do your best with moving people along."

"We know you can't make it perfect, but try to do better," added Guinasso, who noted that the area formerly was commercial, but now has become residential. "That area has changed. We're just asking that you be considerate of the neighbors."

The commission took

# Council updated on overdose outreach work

#### By Adam Swift

Lauren Buck, the city's Chief of Health and Human Services, appeared before the City Council last week to provide an update on the city's overdose outreach program in the wake of the death of Chris Alba.

Alba, who was the city's main outreach worker and hard reduction specialist in the Substance Use Disorder and Homelessness Initiatives (SUDHI) office, died a little over two months ago.

"He's really an irreplaceable presence in the harm reduction outreach worker community, not just for Revere, but for the state and really, the country," said Buck. Buck said the post-overdose outreach work is a small but important part of the SUDHI office.

"It's a program where we receive data from first responders, (such as) Cataldo Ambulance and the Revere Police Department, and we use that data to do outreach to people who recently overdosed," said Buck. "It's an evidence-based approach that takes into account that somebody who has overdosed has a higher risk of overdosing again."

Buck said the outreach team will make several attempts at different times of the day to connect with the people who overdosed either at a personal or business address.

In addition to providing information and resources,

the outreach workers also provide a Narcan kit along with information about how to use Narcan and how to identify an overdose.

Prior to Alba's death, Buck said the SUDHI department hired an additional part-time outreach worker. Still, she said there was a need to replace Alba, as well as a need for additional support for the program.

Since Alba's death, Buck said the city has continued to do the overdose outreach work through the cooperation of the SUDHI, fire department behavioral health unit, and the public health department. Buck said the city also continues to make sure it can connect people who are either homeless or struggling with substance use to the housing programs that are available through the state.

According to state data, there were 21 opioid-related deaths in Revere in 2020, 25 in 2021, and 30 in 2022.

"According to the city's own internal data, so this could be subject to change, as of October we had 16 opioid-related deaths and a total of 101 overdoses in the city," said Buck.

Buck stated that this year, there was a reorganization of city government that put SUDHI under the public health department. While that has helped with administrative costs and work, Buck said there is still a need for the boots on the ground SUDHI workers for outreach and other important initiatives.

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no further action on the matter.

The commission adjourned until its next meeting on December 20.



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Broadway Convenience Mart (BCM), a staple along Broadway has opened a new store, BCM Liquors, further down the street at Broadway at 535 Broadway.

## **Bizzy Women Social to host Wonderland Holiday Market**

By Melissa Moore-Randall

On Saturday, December 2nd, Bizzy Women Social will host the Wonderland Holiday Market. The event will be held at the Spring-Hill Suites Marriott from 11:00-4:00. Highlights of the market including small business vendors, holiday

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BIZZY Women Social was founded by two childhood friends, Lauren Maloney and Amanda Portillo, both 2004 graduates of Revere High School.

According to Portillo, "At the end of Covid, we

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were inspired to build a networking group that felt more social in nature, giving women a more fun and comfortable environment to form not just business relationships but friendships. Since 2021, we have evolved and focused mainly on organizing and producing social,

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To find out more about this event and Bizzy Woman visit their facebook page or find them on Instagram.

## Richard R. "Dickie" Powers, Jr.

Former Editor of The Revere Journal

Funeral Services were held on Saturday, November 18th in the Vertuc-

cio Smith & Vazza Beechwood Home for Funerals for Richard R. "Dickie" Powers, Jr, 75, who died on Tuesday, November 14th following a two-anda-half-year battle with lung cancer.

Dickie was born on September 14, 1948 in Everett to his late parents, Ret. USMC Major Richard R. Powers, Sr. and Louise M. (Nazzaro) Powers.

He was raised and educated in Revere along with his siblings. Dickie attended Immaculate Conception Grammar School and was a graduate of Boston College High School, Class of 1966. After graduation, Dickie enrolled in the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD and then served as a Naval Reserve and was honorably discharged as a midshipman. Dickie earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communications from Boston University, as he worked and went to school.

He married Louise (DeStefano) and together they raised three children of whom Dickie was most proud.

During this time, Dickie told the story of Revere for over two decades as the editor of the Revere Journal. In the second act of his career, he served as the Director of Communications for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Executive Office of Health & Human Services.

Dickie was influential in creating policy at the inception of the Massachusetts Health Connector. He spent more than two decades with state government before retiring.



Dickie was a devoted Boston sports fan and among the Fenway Faithful for 20 years as a season ticket holder. He loved life and treasured the moment. He truly loved the City of Revere. Above all else, Dickie loved his family, they were his everything.

He was the loving father of Kristen Powers and her partner, Dirk Bohse of Corinth, TX., Richard R. Powers, III and his wife, Susan of Beverly, and Ryan M. Powers and his wife, Katie of Wakefield; the cherished Papa of Sophie, Lily, Jacob, Jackson and Lucy; the dear brother of Cynthia "Cindy" Barnard and her husband, Chester of Boxford, Stephen J. Powers and his wife, Laura of Topsfield and Laura Williams of North Carolina. He is also lovingly survived by his former wife, Louise (DeStefano) Powers of Revere and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews and his beloved companion, Jo Irvine of Montgomery, MA.

At Dickie's request and in lieu of flowers, take a friend or loved one for a drink, dinner or both. For online guestbook please visit www.vertucciosmithvazza.com.

Funeral arrangements entrusted to the care and direction of the Vertuccio Smith & Vazza, Beechwood Home for Funerals.

## Cynthia Recchia

Beloved mother, grandmother and friend

Cynthia Recchia, 83, of Revere, passed away on November 16.



## **OBITUARIES**

## **Timothy Leonard**

He was deeply loved and will be greatly missed

Timothy J. Leonard, 38, of Gardner, MApassed away unexpectedly on Saturday, November 11. He was deeply loved and will be greatly missed.

Timothy, or Timmy (affectionately pronounced Tim-Ah by family and close friends), was born on January 20, 1985, joining his older sister, Elizabeth as one of the first grandchildren in the family. By age eight, Timmy had 12 cousins.

As a child, he loved playing and exploring in the woods at Grandma's house with his sister and cousins. He loved to half-joke, half-be honest while goofing around with friends and family, play tag, stack wood for the campfires, DIY- slip n slides, playing video games, arguing over which Mortal Kombat character was best and all other kinds of mischief after school and during weekend activities.

Timmy spent his life surrounded by love. He enjoyed camping, swimming, sledding, playing touch football at Thanksgiving, and playing with his dogs. Timmy stayed close with his family and friends.

Timmy was known to his friends and family as someone who would always help when he could. If you were looking for company, or someone to help you shovel snow, Timmy would be there. Timmy's idea of a great night was around a campfire with family, good friends, the dog, and good snacks. Not chocolate though, as sweets never held much appeal for him. Timothy loved many pets throughout his life, and will now be smiling down at us while playing tug-of-war with his dog, Buster.





Timmy was upbeat and caring with others and always found a way to laugh. Timmy did his best to be a hard worker and to find a way to help others.

Timothy is survived by his mother, Ewaugh reux, great uncle, Edward Kangas, great aunt, Carol Vincent-Pennington, aunts and uncles, Mary Ellen and Jack Craft, Annie Rice, Roland Jr. and Gail Rice, Herbert and Christine Rice, Kim Erickson, William Leonard, Thomas Leonard, Daniel Benedict; cousins: Angela Craft, Danielle Rice, Charles Derby, Joseph Benavidez, Seth and Rachel Rice, Matthew Rice, Kristen Rice, Brandon Carmarato, Brandi and Scott Daigle, Jessica Leblanc, Michael Benedict, close friend, Crystal Wiles and second cousins. Timothy was predeceased by his father, James Leonard Jr, aunt, MaryAnn Benedict, cousin, Alex Benavidez, and grandparents, Roland and Beverly (Kangas) Rice and James and Mary (Vincent) Leonard, and many great aunts and uncles and his beloved dog, Buster.

Calling hours at Witty's Funeral Home, 158 South Main Street, Orange on Sunday, November 26 from 11a.m. to 1 p.m. followed by a funeral at 1 p.m. in the funeral home.Witty's Funeral Home, 158 South Main Street, Orang sisting the family. Guest book and directions online at www.wittyfuneralhome.com.

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sweet memories we recall

Of a face so full of sunshine,

and a smile for one and all.

Sweet Jesus, take this message,

to our dear mother up above;

Tell her how we miss her,

and give her all our love.

Loved and Missed by

Billy, Mary, & Stephen

## **Giuseppe Leone**

His unmatched work ethic was met with his immense love for his family

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in St. Anthony of Padua Church for Giuseppe "Joe" Leone, 77 years of age, who passed away peacefully at his home surrounded by his loving family on Tuesday, November 14th. Entombment was in the Community Mausoleum at Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

One of six children, Joe was born in Bracigliano, Italy on October 5, 1946 to his late parents, Luigi and Viola Leone. As a teenager, Joe packed up his life and moved to Springfield, MA with only a few dollars in his pocket in pursuit of the "American Dream." He briefly returned to Italy to marry his wife, Anna Maria, and they came back together, settled in East Boston and welcomed three beautiful children. Soon after, he and his wife moved to Revere and have been proud Revere residents for over 40 years.

A jack of all trades, Joe started working in construction (bricklaying and gunite pools) at a young age, proudly owned and operated an auto body business in East Boston for 25 years, and then worked at Mass General Hospital for 10 years before retiring.

He was the family handyman, teaching his children and grandchildren how to build and fix things. Joe had an impeccable eye for detail and took great pride in all of the work that he did. His unmatched work ethic



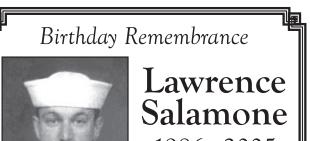
was met with his immense love for his family. Family meant everything to him, especially his grandchildren.

Outside of work and family, Joe enjoyed taking care of his abundant gardens and spending time in his yard sipping espresso while playing card games with his family and friends.

Joe is survived by his loving wife, Anna Maria Leone and his children: Emilio and his wife, Josephine Leone of Peabody. Joanna and her husband. Michael Hill and John and his wife, Joy Leone, all of Revere; cherished grandfather, "Papa" of Michael J. Hill, Joseph Leone, Nicholas Leone, Vanessa Leone, Gianni Hill, John E. Leone, Emilio J. Leone Steven Leone, Andrew Leone and Matthew Leone. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

To send online condolences, please visit www. vertucciosmithvazza.com.

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Leonard, sister, Elizabeth Leonard and her fiancé, Eric Martin and Eric's sibling, Conor Lamou-

beloved mother, grandmother and friend, she will be deeply missed by all who knew her. Cynthia was a graduate of Malden High School and went on to have a successful career as an insurance agent at the family insurance company, Claremont Insurance Company. It was at this company that she met her husband, Alphonse "Fonzo", who came in as a customer. Their love story began with a date and eventually led to 53 years of marriage.

In her free time, Cynthia enjoyed being a member of the Red Hats Society. She took great pride in her home and loved the holidays, especially baking and cooking for her family.

Cynthia is survived by her children: Cynthia and husband, Jeffrey Graff of Lynnfield and Julia and husband, Nicholas Bisconti of Lynnfield. She also leaves behind her grandchildren, Zachary

Bisconti, Nicholas Bisconti,and Lauren Graff. Cynthia was preceded in death by her husband, Alfonse, her father, Saverio Paventi, her mother, Antoinette (Giovanni) Paventi (Giovanni), and her brother, Victor Paventi.

A Funeral Mass was celebrated on Monday, November 20 at Saint Mary of the Assumption Parish, 670 Washington Ave, Revere followed by interment at Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett.

We extend our deepest condolences to Cynthia's family and friends during this difficult time. May her memory live on in the hearts of those who loved her.

As Thanksgiving Day approaches, our blessing we recall the thing we are most thankful for, we recollect them all: Your wisdom and knowledge have shown us the way and we're thankful for your guidance as we live day by day

Happy Thanksgiving Puppy, Papa, Auntie Judy & Colm  $\mathbf{x}\mathbf{O}$ 

lways Loved & sadly missed on this Thanksgiving day and every day







If you feel alone, call my name, And I am there with you.

*If you are in an empty room, turn* around, And I am there with you.

Touch a flower, smell its fragrance, And I am there with you.

Climb a mountain, admire the view, and I am there with you.

Look at the clouds, feel the sun, And I am there with you.

If you are cold, reach out your arms, and I am there with you.

Yes, close your eyes and smile, For I am there with you.

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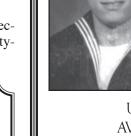
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## HAPPY THANKSGIVING

A Harris poll a few years ago revealed that Christmas is the favorite holiday of the year among all age groups of Americans, but we think that Thanksgiving, our uniquely American holiday, has much more to recommend it than Christmas. Thanksgiving has its roots with the Pilgrims, long before the concept of a United States had crossed anyone's mind. It always has been a secular celebration of peace and relaxation. It simply is a day to be grateful for what we have, however much that may be.

Thanksgiving is a day of no pressure. It is the ultimate family-centered holiday. It has no religious meaning, no national-celebration connotations, and no required gift-giving. It lacks the commercialism, solemnity, and political overtones of all of our other national observances. In a world where anxiety follows us 24/7, Thanksgiving provides a welcome respite from the commercialism that accompanies Christmas and most of our other holidays. There is no obligation to spend a lot of money (that many of us do not have in the first place) to buy the perfect gift in order to be the perfect spouse, or the perfect parent, or the perfect friend. Thanksgiving demands nothing more from each of us (other than for the person who is doing all the cooking!) beyond just showing up and enjoying the company of our family and friends and then having a great meal.

When we think of the Christmas vs. Thanksgiving debate, we think it's analogous to the late comedian George Carlin's skit about football vs. baseball (check it out on YouTube if you've never seen it). Football is the equivalent of war, while baseball is all about going home. Similarly, while Christmas epitomizes our hyper-capitalist, consumerist, and frenetic society, Thanksgiving is its antithesis.

Thanksgiving is a national celebration that serves to remind us how blessed we are at a time when circumstances are so cruel for so many others in a world in which there are more refugees than at any time since the end of World War II. Despite our own trials and tribulations, Thanksgiving reminds us how remarkably fortunate we are to live in this country. And in a day and age when so many of us are connected 24/7 to some instrument of communication, it truly is a relief to have a day when we can just shut it all off (other than perhaps watching a football game.)

We wish all of our readers a happy -- and restful --Thanksgiving.

#### LET'S GO REVERE

#### STATEMENT BY MAYOR-ELECT, PATRICK KEEFE **Dear Editor,**

It is truly disheartening, that after having conceded, my opponent has made the decision to pursue an unnecessary and costly recount of an election he lost. Disheartening, but not surprising. Not surprising because this is not the first time Mr. Rizzo has taken such a step. In fact he seems to regularly question the integrity of any election he does not win. This is far from his first recount rodeo. However, this is by far the widest margin of defeat, several hundred votes, he is requesting recount of.

Over the weeks and months leading up to November's election, we all worked hard to share our vision for moving Revere forward. The fact that many Revere voters chose to vote early and by mail should be seen as a good thing. Let me be clear, more people voting, regardless of who they vote for, is a good thing.

## tions or concerns raised

about the city's handling of early voting. Both our campaigns were present and monitored the early voting.

Similar to his past recount endeavors, my opponent will once again be exposed as the candidate whom Revere's voters have rejected on three separate occasions. As a coach and mentor, I've consistently emphasized the importance of winning with grace and losing with dignity.

Regrettably, my opponent has yet to grasp the art of losing with dignity and our city is left bearing the consequences of his fragile ego. Ideally, a swift resolution to this matter will allow us to refocus on the crucial tasks of enhancing our schools and fortifying our community, free from the distraction of this unnecessary exercise in vanity. Lastly, we will not let this slow us down. In the coming days, our administration will move forward with a transition team and inauguration plans. City Hall will continue to work on behalf of its residents.

Brighter days are ahead for our city. May we all look forward to celebrating a bright holiday season together.

> Sincerely, **Patrick Keefe Mayor-Elect**

#### **THANK YOU FOR** YOUR SUPPORT **Dear Editor,**

To The Residents of Revere.

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to the City of Revere's Mayor-Elect Patrick M. Keefe, Jr., the RHS JROTC Patriot Battalion, the Mottolo Post #4524 members and cooks, all the wonderful volunteers and servers who came to help with the Annual Veterans' Day Breakfast and most especially, to our Veterans.

Each year, the Revere Department of Veterans<sup>3</sup> Services hosts the Annual Breakfast on Veterans' Day weekend to honor our military members and their families. It si one of our favorite events to plan during the year, where our Veterans come together to enjoy comradery, conversation, and a delicious breakfast meal. It is a special event where all members of the Military are present, and all Post members are together.

This year, we introduced the USMC tradition of the eldest Veteran, PFC Vincenzo J. Cannarozzo, U.S. Army/WW2, and the youngest Veteran, CPL. Joseph Singer, USMC/ RPD Officer, cut the Veterans' Day cake together in a very moving ceremony. Special thanks to BI's, Revere, for providing the beautiful cake to Revere Veterans' Services for this special occasion.

We are grateful for the presence of our City and State officials, who took the time ot be with al of us gathered. tI si abusy day throughout the State with many ceremonies ot attend, and we appreciate everyone's efforts ot be at the Veterans' Breakfast.





# **BEAT WINTHROP!!!**

When the Revere High football team takes to the turf field at Harry Della Russo Stadium to meet Winthrop on the morning of Thanksgiving Day, coach Lou Cicatelli and his Patriots, who are 4-6 on the season, will be the underdog against a Viking squad that comes in at 6-4 and that qualified for the playoffs.

However, as the players, coaches, and fans on both sides of the field know all too well, you can throw out the proverbial record books when Winthrop and Revere get together on Thanksgiving to renew their annual rivalry to bring home the coveted Beachcomber Trophy. Regardless of their records, the Thanksgiving Day contest rates as a "second season" for both Winthrop and Revere, with a victory in front of the biggest crowd of the year in itself making for a successful season.

Coach Cicatelli's crew enters the fray with four wins in their last five contests and are playing their best football heading into the Turkey Day tilt. In addition, our Patriots will be eager to get back on the winning track vs. Winthrop after Revere's five-game Thanksgiving Day winning streak was snapped in 2022.

With seasonable weather being forecast for Thursday morning, we expect that there will be a large crowd on hand to fill the stands at HDR. We urge both the players and the fans to exhibit good sportsmanship both on and off the field.

We wish coach Cicatelli and his crew the best of luck. Let's go Revere -- beat Winthrop!!!!!

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Throughout the campaign, there were no ques-

GUEST OP-ED

## Bay Staters deserve opportunities to build a better financial future

By State Reps. Jeffrey Rosario Turco and Francisco E. Paulino

Whether you grew up in Revere, Winthrop, Lawrence, Brighton, or Boston, every community in the Commonwealth values kitchen-table issues; an honest day's work, safe streets, affordable homes, good schools, access to quality and affordable healthcare, and the ability to earn a good living and save for the future.

Just last month, we were able to pass a historic Tax Relief Bill which will make the Commonwealth more affordable, competitive and equitable by putting real dollars directly back into the pockets of hardworking Bay Staters. Whether it's by increasing the child and dependent tax credit for families or lowering the capital gains tax so folks see more of their money when they invest in their Robinhood or

Fidelity accounts, this legislation will provide immediate relief and opportunities for working class people fighting hard every day to make a living.

There's more work to be done. It's no secret that for much of this country's history, the financial system has been largely closed off to most Americans. Teachers, plumbers, steamfitters, steelworkers, nurses, members of the military, and men and women in uniform simply have not always had the same opportunities to save and build wealth as the one percent.

Until recently, owning stocks was largely reserved for older, wealthy, and less diverse Americans, including those with the means to pay a financial professional to do it for them. Fortunately, recent innovations aimed at

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The Revere Department of Veterans' Services looks forward ot planning and hosting many more events ni the future. It si an honor to serve those who have so honorably served our country.

> **Respectfully**, Donna Dreezen Julia Cervantes **Revere Veterans**<sup>4</sup> Services



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## GUEST OP-ED

## Why preventing Diabetes should be a priority at all ages

#### By Dr. Donna O'Shea

More than 96 million Americans, or 1 in 3 adults, live with a potentially life-altering condition - yet many of them are unaware they even have it.

That condition is prediabetes, which in up to 70% of cases develops into diabetes. Today, more than 37 million Americans already live with diabetes, which if left untreated can contribute to a host of health issues, including heart disease, vision loss, nerve damage and more. In Massachusetts, 7.7% of adults over age 18 have been diagnosed with diabetes.

While the risk of developing type 2 diabetes increases with age, taking steps to avoid or more effectively manage this condition should be a priority for people of all ages. For November's American Diabetes Month, here is important information to consider about this condition.

Types of diabetes: Diabetes alters the body's ability to create energy from the food you eat and can develop in three forms. Type 1 diabetes occurs when the body cannot produce insulin on its own, typically due to genetic factors. It accounts for approximately 5% of all diabetes cases, there is no known prevention and is typically diagnosed during childhood. Type 2 diabetes accounts for up to 95% of all cases and develops when the body can't use the insulin it produces, typically due to inactivity and poor nutrition. Finally, gestational diabetes may occur in pregnant women, often due to the hormones and weight gain associated with pregnancy.

Diabetes in children: While type 1 diabetes was historically known as juvenile diabetes, that

term is no longer truly applicable due to the surging prevalence of type 2 diabetes among children. One primary driver of this is the mounting rates of childhood obesity, which now affects 1 in 5 young people. It's important to note children are at a higher risk of type 2 diabetes if they have a family member with this condition, are overweight, don't get enough physical activity or have prediabetes. Type 2 diabetes in children can lead to an array of health issues in the short- and long-term, including depression, eating disorders, eye damage, heart disease and more. To help young people reduce the risk of developing type 2 diabetes, make activity a priority throughout the day. Whenever possible, go for a 15-minute walk after meals, as doing so can help the body move sugar from the blood into the muscle cells to help avoid blood sugar spikes.

Diabetes in adults: The number of adults with diabetes has more than doubled during the last two decades. Living with prediabetes, being overweight, not getting enough physical exercise and being over age 45 all put people at greater risk of developing type 2 diabetes. For working-age adults with this condition, it's critical to consistently track blood sugar levels, ideally with a continuous glucose monitor. In fact, a growing number of health plans are starting to cover this type of technology, which uses a sensor, often worn on the abdomen, to continuously read glucose levels and transmit the data to a smartphone. Another important strategy for adults and children is to get a routine comprehensive eye exam, which can help diagnose diabetic retinopathy and help individuals recognize the need to better control their blood glucose levels. Diabetic retinopathy may occur in people with diabetes and causes damage to the blood vessels in the retina, leading to blindness in some cases.

Diabetes in older adults: Nearly 30% of adults 65 and older live with diabetes, which increases the risk for certain cancers and cognitive impairment, such as Alzheimer's disease. Not only that, older adults with diabetes are more likely to develop certain vision issues, such as glaucoma and cataracts, and the condition may contribute to hearing loss by causing nerve damage in the inner ear. Staying active and eating a balanced diet is crucial, including a focus on consuming healthy proteins (chicken, fish or turkey), nonstarchy fibrous vegetables (broccoli, green beans or carrots) and a moderate amount of carbohydrates (brown rice, sweet potato or whole-grain breads or pasta). Interval eating may also be a strategy to consider, including waiting at least an hour after waking up to eat breakfast and avoiding food within three hours of sleep.

For many people, type 2 diabetes is largely preventable with lifestyle modifications, such as a nutritious diet, consistent exercise and maintaining a healthy weight. Understanding your risk factors and staying on top of your health - starting during childhood and as you age may help you prevent or better manage type 2 diabetes.

Dr. Donna O'Shea is the Chief Medical Officer of Population Health for UnitedHealthcare.

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Volunteers of the second Annual Veterans Appreciation Lunch.



Winthrop's Veterans Agent Phil Ronan (standing right) with the American Legion Post 146 of Winthrop.

The second Annual Veterans Appreciation Lunch was recently held at the V.F.W. Post No. 6712 in Revere. The event was a great success giving out seventy five buckets filled with winter coats, \$50 food gift certificates, socks, gloves etc. The veterans came from the VFW Mottolo Post of Revere, the VFW Post of Beachmont and the Winthrop Lodge of Elks .

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empowering a new age of complex concepts such as the online model most professionals. investors tore down these barriers, reshaped our financial system, and paved the way for a massive influx of new investors into the stock market. These millions of new investors are younger, more diverse, and come from every community and every part of the country, including hundreds of thousands of people right here in Massachusetts. Not only did this transformative shift expand access to the stock market for an entirely new generation of Americans, it has made finance and investing more approachable and relevant to millions of people who had previously avoided it because of its intimidating and exclusive nature. Today, technology has democratized investing with easyto-use, low-cost mobile platforms like Robinhood that for the first time provide tools allowing ordinary Americans to save a little more, make a few extra dollars in income, and invest in great American companies they believe in, including companies that are based here in the Commonwealth. These new platforms have not only simplified the act of purchasing a stock, they've increased the overall relevance and interest in personal finance. Whether it's through podcasts, newsletters, or in-app education modules, these platforms are using technology to communicate with and educate investors, making financial literacy more accessible by breaking-down

compounding and dollar cost averaging, as well as the differences between a traditional and Roth IRA and the implications of a 'wash sale' or capital gains. We must encourage these platforms, who are uniquely positioned, with their reach and resources, to continue prioritizing financial literacy with the understanding that developing a new generation of informed investors will lead them to a more sustainable financial future. We also need to promote sound policies that will help keep these new investors involved for the longterm while protecting them from fraud and abuse. Unfortunately, recent efforts by financial regulators are threatening to throw these new investors right back out of the markets. At both the state and federal levels, securities regulators are considering new rules that, while intended to protect investors, would strike at the very heart of

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Instead, they've gravitated toward affordable and easy-touse mobile platforms that allow them to take a more hands-on approach in managing their finances. These investors deserve strong, sensible regulations that protect them from fraud and abuse, but they also deserve the opportunity to participate fully in our financial system and achieve the American dream. We will continue to fight in the State House for policies that give our communities both.

day. These rules could even make it impossible for financial providers to use the very same innovative technologies that have brought millions into the stock market in the first place. And they are likely to disproportionately harm those underserved populations that for decades have been told they aren't smart enough or wealthy enough to invest.

We reject this narrative, as do many of our colleagues. We've personally spoken to our neighbors - construction workers in Lawrence, firefighters in Revere, cab drivers around Boston, and the staff here in the State House - many of whom tell us that they feel more empowered and equipped than ever before to make their own financial decisions. These are normal people who don't necessarily have the resources, the need, or the desire to completely turn the management of their finances over to expensive

Jeffrey Rosario Turco, Esq., is a State Representative, and represents the 19th Suffolk District and Francisco E. Paulino, is a State Representative, and represents the 16th Essex District.

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On Friday evening, Nov. 10, Bianchi's at the sand bar Restaurant held a welcome to the neighborhood party, featuring the music from "Family Affair" a Revere based mother and daughters singing act. Back tracked music brought to life by the 3 singers made for a night of dancing and lots of top favorites from the charts.



World famous Bianchi's Pizza ready for the oven, shown RHS baseball star Mike Popp and Ivan Garcia.



Family Affair, Lisa Rossetti, Marie Panzini and Michelle Prodgers brought the favorite hits from many decades back to the future and kept everyone on the dance floor.



Kitchen crew, Adolfo Castano and Francy Hernandez.



Lonnie Powers, Kathy Smith and Liz Haley enjoying the party.



Nancy Flynn and Elaine Avallone enjoy the bar area.



Pumping out a pound of sound for Family Affair, Butch DiFraia.



Marie Panzini plays to the crowd, bringing a musical favorite from the past for everyone to enjoy.



Lynnette Giangregorio and Lisa Vozzella enjoying a great night on Revere Beach hot spot, Bianchi's at the Sand Bar.



Lisa McDonnell and Phyllis Foley tear up the dance floor.



## Metropolitan Beaches Comm. holds first meeting in-person since shutdown

Special to the Journal

For the first time since the COVID-19 shutdown,

MBC's Breaking Barriers ted to working with the report, including steps towards equity and diver- Harbor/Save the Bay to sity-focused hiring prac- ensure our metropolitan the Metropolitan Beaches tices and improvements region's public beaches an Madaro. "We have had ADA-accessibility. to Commissioner Arrigo also committed to adding more multilingual signage to the region's beaches before the 2024 beach season. "We are really proud of all the work that has brought us to this point today," said Commission Co-Chair Senator Brendan Crighton. "Our collective work to break down with a particular focus on racial equity and language equity has identified concrete action steps to help address very complex long-standing issues that impact our beaches and communities." "DCR's public beaches belong to everyone, and all of our residents should be able to safely access and enjoy them," said DCR Commissioner Brian Arrigo. "We are commit-

Commission and Save the are welcoming places for everyone regardless of race, ability, language or income."

and natural resource for the Commonwealth and need ongoing improvements." said Co-Chair Rep. Adrigreat success working in partnership with DCR to upgrade our public beaches and are looking forward to continuing our collaboration so all families can enjoy them no matter what part of the world they come from." The Commission also heard testimony from members of the public who spoke to the success of the Better Beaches Program, which brough over 200 free public and diverse cultural events to the beaches this past summer, and also addressed community specific concerns about water quality in Lynn and Dorchester that the Commission will continue to try and address. "It's terrific to have a Commissioner that shares our goals and values when it comes to making our spectacular urban beaches accessible to everyone,' said Save the Harbor Executive Director Chris Mancini. "We're looking forward to supporting and collaborating with our

Rose Pellegrino and Kathy Smith hit the dance floor.



Service with a smile, CindyGonzalez, Ed Senibaldi, and Patty Galluci.

Commission gathered on Beacon Hill on October 31 for an in-person hearing on the state of the region's beaches. This was also the first opportunity for the Commission to hear from recently appointed DCR Commissioner Brian Arrigo on his priorities and vision for the agency. The Metropolitan Beaches Commission is managed by Save the Harbor/Save the Bay and is responsible for making recommendations on the maintenance, improvement and accessibility of the region's public beaches from Nahant to Nantasket.

Over 100 people attended the hearing in person or over Teams as DCR Commissioner Brian Arrigo testified to the agency's efforts to address recommendations from the

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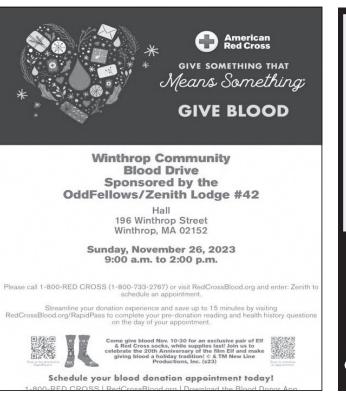
The MBC and Commissioner Arrigo also discussed potential for improving the flagging protocols on our region's beaches to communicate to the public more clearly on the infrequent days when water quality may be potentially unsafe for swimming, usually following a heavy rainfall. Massachusetts While continues to boast some of the country's cleanest urban beaches, stormwater runoff can impact that quality. Director of Green Infrastructure for the City of Boston Kate England addressed the increased impacts of stormwater due to climate change and the potential to mitigate those impacts through strategic green infrastructure improvements, teeing up the Commission's next efforts to address climate resiliency and sea level rise along our coast.

'The beaches are absolutely a critical open space

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Metropolitan Beaches Commissioners left to right: Representative Tackey Chan, Kerin O'Toole, Mercy Robinson, Representative Jessica Giannino, Senator Brendan Crighton, Representative Adrian Madaro, Representative Joan Meschino, Assistant Deputy Commissioner Susan Hamilton



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# Sports

# **Revere football team** ready for Thanksgiving game versus Winthrop

#### By Cary Shuman

Hoping to continue its second-half surge, the Revere High football team will play Winthrop High in the annual Thanksgiving game Thursday (10 a.m.) at Harry Della Russo Stadium.

Head coach Lou Cicatelli has his Patriots (4-6 playing their best football of the season. A win over Winthrop (6-4) would be the perfect season-topper for the Patriots.

"We've had a great week of practice," said Cicatelli. "The players and coaches are excited. This is one of the first times this season that everyone is healthy. We're hoping it's going to be a good game."

Winthrop's Wing-T offense will be a touch challenge. The Vikings have four very capable running backs, NEC sprint champion Nick Cappuccio, along with Robert Rich, George Galuris, and Demetri Koutsouflakis. Matt Noonan is the Vikings' talented junior quarterback.

"They run the ball well. They throw the ball well. We definitely have our work cut out for us, but we have a good game plan," said Cicatelli. "There will be a big crowd supporting us. There's nothing like the Thanksgiving game.

way for us to end season, after struggling with injuries early. To me, the way we've played the past several weeks says a lot about the players and coaches, who kept clawing back and did not quit."

#### **Rodriguez**, Bellemsieh selected GBL All-Stars

The Greater Boston League coaches recognized two Revere High football players, Walter Rodriguez and Medhi Bellemsieh, for the All-Star Team.

Rodriguez was selected as an All-Star defensive end. Bellemsieh was named an All-Star tailback.

Abbas Attoui, Giovanni Woodard, and Carlos Rizo received Honorable Mention recognition.

Everett's BC-bound senior, Christian Zamor, and Lynn Classical quarterback Brian Vaughan were the GBL co-MVPs. Everett's first-year head coach, Justin Flores, is the GBL Coach of the Year.

#### Cicatelli played in two Thanksgiving games

A 1982 Revere High graduate, Lou Cicatelli played in two Revere-Winthrop holiday games. He was a right guard on Coach Silvio Cella's 7-3 team in 1981.



Revere Lightning Under 14 Youth Soccer Team.

# Girls' Soccer is alive and thriving in Revere

By Melissa Randall

Revere's Under 14 youth soccer team, the Revere Lightning, finished their Fall 2023 Season with an impressive 6-1-1 record and the best defensive record in their group. The team only allowed seven goals the entire Fall 2023 season. Part of Revere Youth Soccer, the Revere Lightning plays in the Essex County Youth Soccer Association in the competitive Massachusetts Tournament of Champions (MTOC) Division.

The team is comprised of 8th graders Eleni Ab-Gabriella Aguidula,

lar, Co-Captain Andrea Basta, Giselle Cardona, Jelitza Jerezano, Mariana Jimenez, Amy Mendoza, Co-Captain Sharon Olivia, and Valentina Ramos, and 7th graders Kimberly Benitez, Isabella Coral, Sofia Garcia, Eliana Hernandez, Edlyn Hernandez, Camila Martinez, Brooke Rose, Valeria Ruiz, Carolina Vejar and Siobhan Zierten.

The Revere Lighting is led by Head Coach Hestick Villa, Assistant Coach Armando Aguilar, and Team Assistant Marylin Cardona. The team had an exciting fall season, which came down to a deciding last game for the top spot

in the group. Falling short 2-0 in a nail-biting last game and coming in 2nd in their group, the Revere Lighting showed resilience, mental toughness, and a competitive spirit that will only improve once the team returns for their Spring 2024 season.

According to Assistant Coach Aguilar, "The future is looking very bright for girls' soccer in Revere; along with the Revere Lightning. There are two other girls teams for younger girls, the girls Under 12 team (Revere Cyclones), and Girls Under 10 Girls Team (Revere Cheetahs). Both also had a great fall Season."

A non-profit organization and community program, their philosophy is "At Revere Youth Soccer, we dedicate to develop and guided our youth players with the fundamental basic skills - it's our priority to serve our Revere youth community. our team coaches, parents & volunteers are excited to see their kids playing real games and how the program is there to support it. That's why we work hard to provide them the best quality time."

For more information, visit their website at www. revereyouthsoccer.com or email them at revereysa@ gmail.com

# Mike D'Itria begins a new chapter

Revere resident will lead Pioneer Charter as its new boys head basketball coach

in Lynn. He was an as- their daughter, Nicolette, a starting guard at Sa-

A victory would be a great

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Assistant coach Michael Juliano is pictured with his son, Revere safety Mason Juliano, who proudly holds the team's NCYFC championship trophy, after Revere defeated Stoneham, 12-6, for the title.

# Super Bowl **Champions!**

Revere Junior Patriots capture Youth Football title

#### By Cary Shuman

The Revere Junior Patriots youth football seventh-and-eighth-grade team made its first New England Commonwealth Youth Football Conference season an unforgettable one, winning the 2023 Super Bowl, 12-6, over Stoneham in a thriller Sunday afternoon at Tufts University in Medford.

Revere, who joined the organization after competing in Pop Warner football for many years, made two incredible defensive stands in the fourth quarter inside the 10-yard line to earn the victory. The undefeated Stoneham team had averaged close to 25 points per game, but head coach Oscar Rodriguez's contingent kept its high-scoring opponent to a single score.

Revere (9-1) had lost to Stoneham, 14-13, a month ago in the regular season. But Revere regrouped to

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Mike D'Itria enjoyed a tremendous run of basketball achievement at St. Mary's High School

sistant coach of a state championship boys team, and as a proud father, he and his wife, Tami, had the opportunity to support

and son, Anthony, as they helped the Spartans win state titles as outstanding individual contributors.

While Nicolette is now

lem State University and Anthony is competing in track at Colby College,

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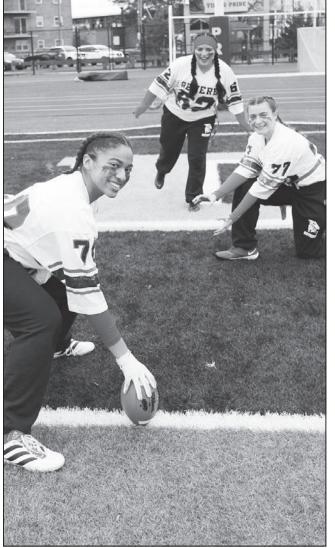
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## RHS LADY PATRIOTS DEFEATED AT MILLER FIELD BY THE WHS LADY VIKINGS 22-0

Last Saturday afternoon the RHS Lady patriot Powder Puff Football Team headed to Miller Field in Winthrop for the annual Pre-Thanksgiving Game. The Patriots started off the opening drive with

a strong running game but fell short in the red zone.

The Patriots did not mount much after that, allowing Winthrop to score and convert the point after plays, getting shut out, 22-0.



The point after squad, Ambra DeCicco-Clyne, Bella Stamatopoulis, and Giselle Portillo Ramos.



Head Coach becky Coots with the RHS Captains, Sofia Vargas Rivera, Ambra DeCicco-Clyne, Rocio Gonzalez Castillo, Bella Stamatopoulos, Janet Sehli, Haley Belloise.



Offensive Center Capt. Ambra DeCicco-Clyne and Quarterback Capt. Haley Belloise.



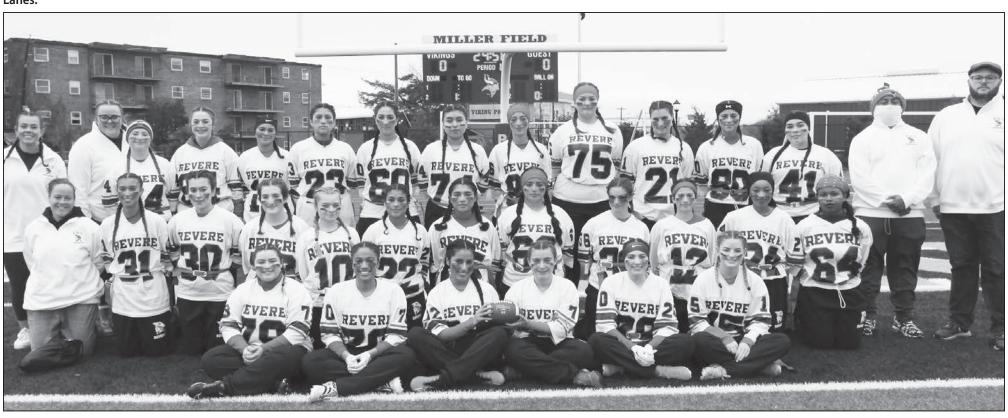
The Patriot Offense. Front row: Capt. Bella Stamatopoulos, Sophia Vargas Rivera, Capt. Ambra DeCicco-Clyne, Capt. Haley Belloise, Adriana DeCicco, and Julia Martins. Back row: Valery Echavarria Jimenez, Amy Cantarero Juarez, Ariana Aguilar, Ashley Cabera Rodriguez, Jayla Foster, Giselle Salvador.



The Patriot Defense: Front row: Mikayla Hayes, Victoria Vilace, Karla Leal Robles, Capt. Rocio Gonzalez Castillo, Capt. Janet Sehil, Caroline Wanjiru Waruinge, Julia Martins. Back row: Daniela Murillo Bonilla, Kawtar Zakaria, Nisrin Sekkat, Giselle Portillo Ramos, Cynthia Rodriguez, Juliana Bolton, Genesis Florian Castro, Rania Abdelhannane, Meesha Francois, Dakota .anes



Jayla Foster got things underway for the Patriots in the opening set of downs.jpg



Head Coach Becky Coots and coaching staff with the 2023 RHS Lady patriot Powder Puff Football Team.

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One of the other players starting on the Revere offensive line was Vin Gregorio. "I was the right guard and my best friend and buddy, Vin Gregorio, who's still coaching with me, was the left tackle," said Cicatelli. "Unfortunately, in our four years, we never beat Winthrop. They were a machine back then. They had some really good teams. We still have nightmares of the cannon going off every time they scored."

Winthrop, under head coach Bob DeFelice, was undefeated in the 1981,

1982, and 1983 seasons, winning two Super Bowls. The 1982 team went 10-0, but did not get invited to the Super Bowl due to the quirky ratings system at the time. Overall, Winthrop was 32-0-1 during that stretch.



#### The RHS Coaching Staff, Jason Torrev, Lexy Angino, HC Becky Coots, Justin Pezzuto and Megan O'Donnell.



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partners at DCR to continue breaking barriers for people of color, people with disabilities and those who don't speak English as a first language. And to see if we can't do something about rising seas

while we're at it."

Next steps for the MBC are to keep partnering with DCR to address the infrastructure and equity priorities discussed at the hearing, and to host a series of community charrettes in

beachfront neighborhoods on strategies for dealing with rising seas and other effects of climate change.

For more information and to connect with the MBC, visit www.savetheharbor.org/mbc

## THE ROSSETTI COWAN SENIOR CENTER CELEBRATES THANKSGIVING AT THE BEACHMONT VFW



Dressed for the occasion, Elanor Vieira, Linda Doherty, Denise Rampelberg, Nancy Monaiewicz, Kathleen Brennan, Denise Nicolo, Sandi Lozier, and Karen Knapp.

The Rossetti-Cowan Senior Center had their Thanksgiving luncheon at the Beachmont VFW Post 6712 last Monday afternoon. The full course turkey dinner was courtesy of Murray's Tavern in Revere, the entertainment of DJ Chris Fiore was paid for by the Revere Veterans Committee Co Chairmen, Al Terminiello Jr and Ira Novoselsky.

Thanks to the help from local elected officials and students from City Lab helping serve the 150 guests for lunch.



Hajar Bichou from the Revere Public Health Department and Julie Raftery ready to feed lots of hungry seniors.



City Lab community service students with their advisor, Megan McBride (2nd from right). Joshua Rodriguez, Kimberly Sarceda, Blue Shea, Hannah Walsh, Sharyn Santamaria, Maria Betancourt, Ben Ozuna, Adrianna Lucia, Anthony Berry and Quinshard Moore.



Linda Mayo with Director Debbie Peczka, and Mayor-elect Patrick Keefe.



Senator Lydia Edwards with Lorraine Repoli and Director Debbie Peczka.



John Murray from Murray's Tavern, supplied a delicious turkey dinner for the Revere Thanksgiving Luncheon, shown with Chef Anthony(right).



Councillor -elect Michelle Kelley and Pati Epsimos.



Joanne Monteforte and Anne Eagan selling raffle tickets.



Karen Knapp with Mayor-elect Patrick Keefe.



Anna Piccardi, Mina Canas, School Committee members John Kingston and Anthony Caggiano.



Councillor elect Bob Haas with friends, Nancy Monaiewicz, Linda Doherty, Kathleen Brennan and Denise Nicolo.



Councillor Tony Zambuto with the November Birthdays, from left/ Inez Cole, Ray Zarbano, Blue Shea, Maria Betancourt, Tina Vera, Mina Canas, Yolander Bosek.



Director Debbie Peczka, Councillors Tony Zambuto, Mayor -elect Patrick Keefe, and Councillor Gerry Visconti.



DJ Chris Fiore (2nd from right) with Director of Elder Services Debbie Peczka, shown with sponsors of the entertainment Al Terminiello Jr and Ira Novoselsky from the Revere Veterans Committee.



Enjoying lunch, Linda Grover, Carmela Noe, Fermina Mangone, Lorraine Toccio and Patricia DiVaio.



Kay Camara, Irma Accettullo, Marian Maffeo, and Geri Damiano.



The Super Bowl champion Revere Junior Patriots team is pictured after winning the title Sunday at Tufts University's Ellis Oval/Zimman Field in Medford.

## Champions // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 11

beat Watertown, 32-7, in the playoff semifinals and set up the winner-take-all showdown with the 9-0 Stoneham Spartans.

After a scoreless first half, Reda Attoui, the younger brother of Revere High football star, Abbas Attoui, returned the second-half kickoff 75 yards for a touchdown.

Fleet-footed running back Carlos Ortiz made it 12-0 on a 51-yard touchdown.

Stoneham scored its touchdown in the fourth quarter and twice threatened to tie the game or go ahead in the final minutes.

With the ball at the 5-yard line and five sec-



Mayor-Elect Patrick Keefe congratulates coaches Oscar Rodriguez and Michael Juliano after Revere won the 2023 New England Commonwealth Conference Super Bowl.

ond left, Stoneham attempted two passes, but the Revere defense denied completions, the second key play being made as time expired.

David Kanelas, a team captain, was one of the Fautz and Luka DeAlmeidefensive stars, recording a sack in the fourth quarter. Carlos Ortiz, Anthony Pelatare, and Jorge Colon led Revere's outstanding game-long performance on defense. Also excelling in the Revere secondary alongside Colon were Filipe Demelo, Mason Juliano, Jose Fuentes, and Jeremiah Ramos. Linebacker Ismael Romero Gonzalez was immense in the middle of the Revere

defense, making several tackles.

"I commend our entire defensive unit, who was huge throughout the game," said Rodriguez.

Quarterbacks Francesco da did a great job piloting the Revere offense, which was the league's highest-scoring group during the regular season at 26 points per game.

The Revere team had experienced success in Pop Warner football, winning back-to-back championships in the 12-U division.

"We had the No. 1 offense and the No. 1 defense in our league in points scored and points allowed this season," noted Rodriguez.

Carlos Ortiz, son of Revere Youth Football President Jackie Del Rio, led the team in touchdowns. Meanwhile, the Revere defense was at its best in the big games, including a memorable Super Bowl Sunday on the campus of Tufts University.

Several of the current Revere players will be joining the Revere High



The Revere Youth Football cheering team is pictured after Sunday's Super Bowl at Tufts University in Medford.

football program next fall.

"A lot of the players are moving on and will help the Revere High program," said Rodriguez, who played football himself at Chelsea High School.

Rodriguez was assisted on the Revere sidelines by coaches Michael Juliano, Edward Ramos, and Miguel Marin.

Mayor-Elect Patrick Keefe attended the Super Bowl, personally congratulating all the players and coaches on their championship season after the trophy presentation ceremony.



Revere head coach Oscar Rodriguez and assistant coaches Miguel Marin, Edward Ramos, and Michael Juliano celebrate before receiving the 2023 Super Bowl championship trophy from league president David Pignone.

## D'Itria // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 11 **Building a program**

Mr. D'Itria is beginning a new journey, having been named the head coach of the Pioneer Charter School of Science (Everett) boys basketball team.

who was an assistant at St. Mary's High School.

becoming a head basket- and Coach Gavin Monagle for one year. Bill Maradei was tough on you, but at the end of the day he made you a better player. You knew it was genuine that he really cared about you, so you could deal with it." Following high school, D'Itria attended Northeastern University, where he enrolled in the pharmacy program and had a co-op position at Brigham and Women's Hospital. He is currently a pharmacist at Brigham and Women's Hospital where he has been employed for 27 years. Starting next Monday, Mike D'Itria will begin his tenure as a head basketball coach, realizing a longheld dream.

D'Itria said he is excited to make his debut as a head coach.

"I've always eventually wanted to have my own program," said D'Itria,



New head basketball coach Mike D'Itria is pictured inside the Pioneer Charter School of Science gymnasium in Everett.



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Mary's for seven seasons and four state title game appearances. "I'm very excited. I've met with the team, and they seem to be a great group of kids.

Pioneer is an excellent school and I'm thankful to [Athletic Director] Phil Signoroni to be their head basketball coach."

D'Itria said PCSS is a member of the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association. "We'll be playing a lot of the charter schools and at the end of year, we'll compete in the state charter school (MCSAO) tournament before the MIAA Tournament. Pioneer made the MIAA tournament for the first time last season."

D'Itria said the No. 1 goal is to qualify for the MIAA playoffs. "That's definitely the goal - to make the tournament and make a little noise," he said.

#### Assistant coaches are from Revere

D'Itria has selected former high school standouts Marcus Brunson and Calvin Boudreau as assistant coaches on his staff.

"I coached Calvin growing up in Revere and Marcus for two years at St. Mary's," said D'Itria. "They've always had an interest in coaching, so I thought it would be great to have two younger coaches helping me out in this program."

#### Looking back at his Years at St. Mary's

D'Itria reflected on his coaching days at St.

'It was a great seven years. I loved it there," said D'Itria. "I learned a lot. David [Brown] really taught me how to run a program and how to be a successful program and just take care of the students, too. And there are not many athletic directors better than Jeff Newhall."

David Brown, head coach at St. Mary's, said that D'Itria was a tremendous asset to the Spartans' program.

"Mike did an excellent job as an assistant coach at St. Mary's," said Brown. "I wish him the best of luck in his new position."

St. Mary's Athletic Director Jeff Newhall offered his congratulatory wishes.

"I congratulate Mike on

ball coach," said Newhall. "He was an outstanding member of our athletic staff at St. Mary's, and he had a positive impact on the student-athletes at our school."

#### A star football player at **Dom Savio High School**

Interestingly, Mike D'Itria played football and some basketball at St. Dominic Savio High School in East Boston, graduating in 1994. "I realized when I was young, that I was more of a football player than a basketball player," said D'Itria. "We played in the Super Bowl when I was a sophomore [offensive tackle and defensive end]. I played football for Coach Bill Maradei for three years

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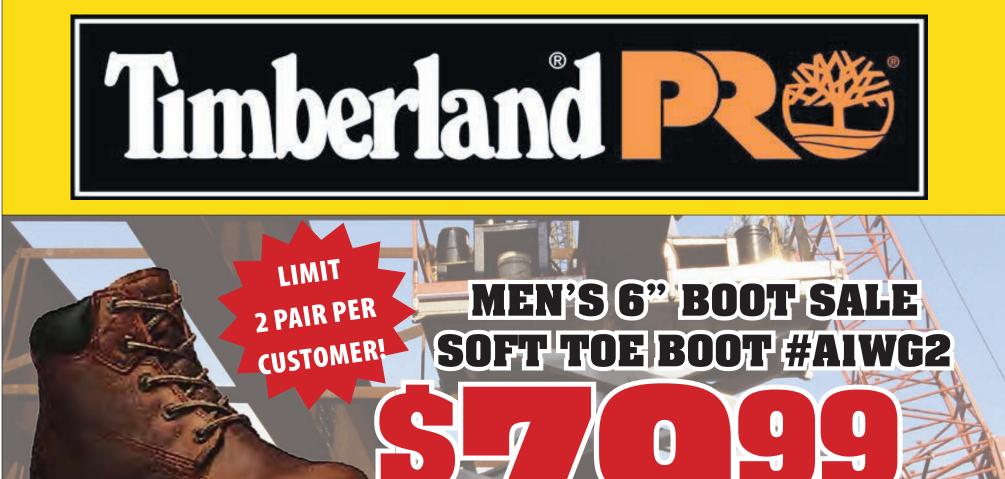
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Revere has long been known for its old school traditions, and this one certainly falls under that category. Lifelong friends have gathered here to wish each other well, relive old times and remember those who won't be coming anymore.

There was more handshaking, well wishing last Monday night than at any political convention ever. The difference? It was all heartfelt, and meaningful. Some might not see each other until next Thanksgiving, God willing, other almost every day, none the less, a hug, kiss on the cheek, handshake, and all the best to you and the family, means the world to them all. These are friends, they consider each other family, we will always be that way. Happy Thanksgiving-to you and yours.



Lenny DeMaino starts to prepare the table for his guests.



Mary Jones, Rose Casella and Lucille Orlandello enjoying the reunion.



Revere City Councillor Tony Zambuto and Revere School Committee-elect Anthony Caggiano stopped by to enjoy the reunion.





Joyce DiNuccio with classmates and friends, Mike Musto, Ron Ludovici, Bill Orlandella, Joe Ferri and Ron Oliver.







and Steven Vesce.



Gary Golditch, Michael Cella and Stephen Cushing at the bar talking sports.

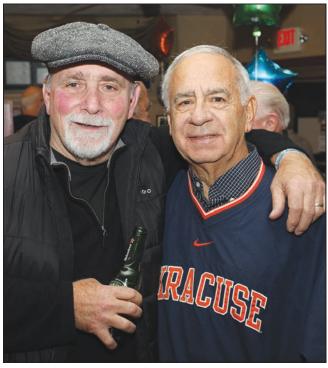
Gene McKinnon, Rich Capoccia and Vincent Brandano.



Donny Tempesta, Revere School Committee -elect Anthony Caggiano, former RFD Stanley Wells and Former RFD Chief Gene Doherty at DeMainos Restaurant.



Freida DeMaino entertains her friends at the "corner" reunion, Rose Pellegrino. Gail Giuffrida and Joyce DiNuccio.



Former RHS Patriot Coach Michael Cella and Peter DiGiulio.



Joe Orlandello, Bobby Belmonte and Charlie Smith.



Talking about old times, Alex Castiello, Rich Capano, Anthony Capoccia and Bill King.

## Eastie's Moscone named top lawyer in criminal defense by Boston Magazine

#### Staff Report

Attorney Albert J. Moscone has been recognized by Boston Magazine "Top Lawyer: 2023, Criminal Defense," as well as, in The Best Lawyers®, Ones to Watch in America in the areas of Corporate and Real Estate Litigation. He has been named Top 10 Under 40 by Attorney & Practice Magazine in the area of Criminal Defense. He has also been appointed to serve as a Title Examiner by the Chief Justice of the Massachusetts Land Court.

Attorney Moscone, Jr., is born and raised in East Boston. He is the founder and managing attorney of Moscone Law, where he focuses on criminal and real estate litigation. Attorney Moscone has successfully argued before a judge or jury in multiple venues throughout the Commonwealth as well as in Federal Court.

Criminal Defense. Attorney Moscone has successfully represented clients in all phases of criminal litigation from arraignment to pre-trial detention hearings, motions and jury trials. In many instances he has succeeded in persuading the government not to file charges against his clients.

Real Estate Litigation. Attorney Moscone has successfully litigated real estate title matters. He was recently appointed as a Title Examiner by the Massachusetts Land Court.

Municipal Representa-

tion. Attorney Moscone represents municipalities, ensuring protection of municipal delinquencies and the security of municipal liens throughout and following a debtor's Federal Bankruptcy Case. Attorney Moscone has experience litigating avoidance, preference and adversary proceedings.

Albert Moscone Jr. holds a B.A. from Suffolk University and a J.D. from New England Law School



Attorney Albert J. Moscone, Jr.

## LOCAL STUDENTS EARN Academic Honors

#### LOCAL RESIDENTS MAKE DEAN'S LIST AT WENTWORTH INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY local

The following students have made the dean's list at Wentworth Institute of Technology for the Summer 2023 semester.

• William Long of Revere, Mass.

<u>LEGAL NOTICE</u>

**CITY OF** 

REVERE

FOR THE

BID NO:

 Allison Maldonado Aldana of Revere, Mass. Jack Nakashian of Re-

vere, Mass. • Fabio Tran of Revere,

Mass. • Miguel Urrea of Revere, Mass. • Petraq Xheka of Re-

vere, Mass. Founded in 1904, Wentworth Institute of Technology provides a comprehensive, interdisciplinary,

project-based education in architecture and design, computing and data science, engineering, management, and sciences and humanities that integrates classroom, labora-

LLC. 29 Arrowhead

at 171 Broad Sound

Avenue, Revere, MA

02151.

Drive, Saugus, MA 01906

requesting a variance of

tory, studio, cooperative and experiential learning to develop career-ready, skilled professionals, and engaged citizens.

#### LEGAL NOTICE (FIS) report for your

Commonwealth Of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family** Court Suffolk Probate And Family Court 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 **DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION** AND MAILING Docket No. SU23D1810DR Larissa Dias Rafaini O'Day VS. Michael Anthony O'Day To the Defendant: The Plaintiff has filed a **Complaint for Divorce** requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown. The Complaint is on file at the Court. An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411.

#### community. These flood hazard determinations may include the addition INVITATION or modification of Base FOR BIDS Flood Elevations, base INSTALLATION flood depths, Special **OF FLIP-LOK'S** Flood Hazard Area boundaries or zone **REVERE PUBLIC SCHOOLS** designations, or the regulatory floodway. The SCH-2023-1007 FIRM and, if applicable, the FIS report have been revised to reflect these flood hazard determinations through issuance of a Letter of Map Revision (LOMR), in accordance with Title 44, Part 65 of the Code of Federal Regulations. These determinations are the basis for the floodplain

The City of Revere is soliciting sealed bids to furnish all labor and materials for "INSTALLA-TION OF FLIP-LOK'S" for **Revere Public Schools.** The bids will be received at the Office of the Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, prior to 10:00 A.M., Monday, December 11, 2023, management measures immediately after which that your community the bids will be opened is required to adopt or and read publicly. show evidence of having Specifications may be in effect to qualify or obtained beginning remain qualified for Wednesday, November participation in the 22, 2023, electronically National Flood Insurance from the Office of the Program. For more City Purchasing Agent, information on the Michael Piccardi at proposed flood hazard purchasing@revere.org. determinations and infor-Revere City Hall office mation on the statutory hours are Monday and 90-day period provided Wednesday, 8:00AM to

LEGAL NOTICES

FARLEY; MASSACHU-

SETTS DEPARTMENT OF

**REVENUE (ESTATE TAX** 

DIVISION); and UNITED

STATES OF AMERICA;

Defendants/ Par-

ties-in-Interest

**ORDER OF NOTICE BY** 

PUBLICATION

TO: THE HEIRS, DEVISEES

AND LEGAL REPRESEN-

TATIVES OF CLAIRE M.

PEDROSO A/K/A CLAIRE

FARLEY;

WHEREAS a civil action

begun against you in the

Suffolk County Superior

in interpleader has

all activities administered by this agency. No bidder may withdraw their bid within thirty (30) business days after the actual date of the opening thereof. This invitation for bid is in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 149. Michael A. Piccardi **Purchasing Agent** 11/22/23

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#### LEGAL NOTICE COMMONWEALTH

**OF MASSACHUSETTS** THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT Suffolk Probate And Family Court 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 (617)788-8300 **CITATION ON** PETITION FOR **CHANGE OF NAME** Docket No. SU23C0561CA In the matter of: Elijah Daniel Rodgers A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Elijah Daniel Rodgers of Revere, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to: Elijah Nicholas Granitsas **IMPORTANT NOTICE** Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at:Suffolk **Probate and Family** Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 12/07/2023. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding. WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: November 09, 2023 Stephanie L. Everett, **Register of Probate** 11/22/23 Court, wherein the plaintiff seeks to determine the disposition of surplus funds being held as a result of the sale of 46 Crescent Avenue, Revere, MA 02151. All that is set forth in the complaint filed on May 30, 2023. WE COMMAND YOU if you intend to make any defense, that on or before January 10, 2024, or within such further time as the law allows you do cause your written pleadings to be filed in the office of the Clerk of Court at Suffolk **County Superior Court**, 3 Pemberton Square, Boston, MA 02108, in the County of Suffolk in said Commonwealth, with a copy to Erika L. Vogel, Esq., Harmon Law Offices, P.C. 150 California Street, Newton, MA 02458, and further that you defend against said suit according to law, if you intend any defense, and that you do an receive what the Court shall order and adjudge therein. Hereof fail not, as your peril, or as otherwise said suit may be adjudged and orders entered in your absence. It appearing to this Court that no personal service of the Complaint has been made upon you, the defendants, that after diligent search Plaintiffs can find no such persons upon whom they can lawfully make service, it is ORDERED that notice of this suit be given to you by publishing in THE REVERE JOURNAL, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Revere, once a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be at least 20 days before said return day of January 10. 2024. Entered as an Order of this Court on this 2nd day of November, 2023. So Ordered: Connolly, J. JUSTICE OF THE SUPERI-

Asst. CLERK 11/15/23, 11/22/23, 11/29/23 R

#### LEGAL NOTICE Commonwealth

Of Massachusetts The Trial Court **Probate and Family** Court Suffolk Probate And Family Court 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 **DIVORCE SUMMONS** BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING Docket No. SU23D1895DR Lesly Alejandra Amaya VS. Anner Valentin Amaya To the Defendant: The Plaintiff has filed a **Complaint for Divorce** requesting that the Court arant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown. The Complaint is on file

at the Court. An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matter preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the current financial status of either party. SEE Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411. You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon: Lesly Alejandra Amaya, 82 Oliver St. Apt. 1 Malden, MA 02148, your answer, if any, on or before 12/21/2023. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court. WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: November 02, 2023 Stephanie Everett **Register of Probate** 11/22/23 R LEGAL NOTICE A-23-41 **Public Hearing** Notice is hereby given

in accordance with the

provisions of Chapter

40A of the Massachu-

setts General Laws and

Title 17 of the Revised

Ordinances of the City

City of Revere Zoning

Board of Appeals (ZBA)

hearing on Wednesday

evening, November 29,

2023 at 5:00 P.M. in the

will conduct a public

of Revere (RRO) that the

City Councillor Joseph A. Ashley E. Melnik, Clerk **DelGrosso City Council City of Revere** Chamber, Revere City Zoning Board of Appeals Hall, 281 Broadway, 11/15/2023 Revere, MA 02151 on the 11/22/2023 application of Don Q Real Estate Development, LLC and Saturn Realty Group,

#### LEGAL NOTICE A-23-39

RRO Section 17.24.010(a) **Public Hearing** minimum rear setback of Notice is hereby given 20' for decks to enable in accordance with the the appellant to construct provisions of Chapter a 15.75' x 12.25' deck 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City A copy of the aforemenof Revere (RRO) that the **City of Revere Zoning** tioned proposed plan and application (A-23-Board of Appeals (ZBA) 41) is on file and availwill conduct a public able for public inspection hearing on Wednesday in the office of the City evening, November 29, Clerk, Revere City Hall 2023 at 5:00 P.M. in the Revere, Massachusetts, City Councillor Joseph A. Monday/Wednesday DelGrosso City Council from 8:00AM-7:00PM, Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, and Tuesday/Thursday from 8:00AM-5:00PM. Revere, MA 02151 on the Ashley E. Melnik, Clerk application of Joseph Ciampa, 42 Joey Road, Zoning Board of Appeals Revere, MA requesting the following variances 11/15/2023 from the ZBA to enable 11/22/2023 the appellant to construct R a five-story, twenty unit,

11/15/23, 11/22/23

#### **LEGAL NOTICE** A-23-38

**Public Hearing** Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere (RRO) that the City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, November 29, 2023 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. **DelGrosso City Council** Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Zoro, LLC, 1040-1048 North Shore Road, Unit B2, Revere, MA 02151 requesting the following variances from the ZBA to enable the appellant to construct a four-story, eleven unit, residential apartment building at 1473 North Shore Road, Revere, MA

summoned and required to serve upon: Larissa Dias Rafaini O'Day, 57 Railroad Ave. Unit A2, Salisbury, MA 01952, your answer, if any, on or before 01/04/2023. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court. WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: November 15, 2023 Stephanie Everett **Register of Probate** 11/22/23 R

You are hereby

#### <u>LEGAL NOTICE</u>

**DEPARTMENT OF** HOMELAND SECURITY FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY Proposed Flood Hazard Determinations for the City of Revere, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, Case No. 24-01-0009P. The Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) solicits technical information or comments on proposed flood hazard determinations for the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), and where applicable, the Flood Insurance Study

visit FEMA's website at https://www.floodmaps. fema.gov/fhm/ BFE\_Status/bfe\_main. asp , or call the FEMA Mapping and Insurance eXchange (FMIX) toll free at 1-877-FEMA MAP (1-877-336-2627). 11/15/23, 11/22/23 R

for appeals, please

#### LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE Notice is hereby given by G/J Towing Inc of 655 North Shore Road, Revere, MA, pursuant to the provisions of Mass G.L c. 255, Section 39A, that they will sell the following vehicles on or after November 23, 2023 beginning at 10:00 am by private or public sale to satisfy their garage keepers' lien for towing, storage, and notices of sale. Vehicles are being stored at G/J Towing, Inc. 1. 2009 Mercury Mariner VIN 4M2CU91G59KJ04898 2. 2003 BMW 325Ci VIN WBABS33473JY44003 3. 2018 Ford Focus VIN 1FADP3K25JL224819 Signed, Frank Russo

G/J Towing Inc 11/8/23, 11/15/23, 11/22/23 R

7.00 PM and Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Revere City Hall is closed on Friday's. Revere City Hall will be closed on November 23, 2023, in observance of Thanksaiving Day. Bids must be sealed and clearly marked "BID FOR THE INSTALLATION OF FLIP-LOK'S FOR THE RE-VERE PUBLIC SCHOOLS" and be submitted to the Office of the Purchasing Agent prior to 10:00 A.M. on December 11, 2023. Each bid submitted to the City of Revere must be accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a bid bond, money order, cashier's check, certified check, or treasurer's check, issued by a responsible bank or trust company, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total value of the bid. Checks must be made payable to the City of Revere. The City of Revere as

the awarding authority, may accept any bid or a portion of a bid, waive any irregularities and/or formalities, investigate the ability of the vendors to honor a bid, select a vendor who does not submit the lowest bid and award all contracts as shall be considered in the best interest of the City of Revere. It is the policy of the City of Revere to take positive steps to maximize the utilization of minority business enterprises in

## LEGAL NOTICE

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS SUFFOLK, SS. SUPERIOR COURT DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT **CIVIL ACTION NO:** 2384CV00859 FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIA-TION, Plaintiff,

THE HEIRS, DEVISEES AND LEGAL REPRESEN-TATIVES OF CLAIRE M. PEDROSO A/K/A CLAIRE

#### LEGAL NOTICE A-23-40

City of Revere

Also see A-22-22 **Public Hearing** Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Title 17 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Revere (RRO) that the **City of Revere Zoning** Board of Appeals (ZBA) will conduct a public hearing on Wednesday evening, November 29, 2023 at 5:00 P.M. in the City Councillor Joseph A. **DelGrosso City Council** Chamber, Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151 on the application of Zepaj Development, LLC, 78 Mill Street, Middleton, MA 01949 requesting a variance of Section 17.28.020 minimum parking requirements or apartment use to enable the appellant to construct a twenty-five unit apartment building at 344 Salem Street, Revere, MA 02151: A copy of the aforementioned proposed plan and application (A-23-40) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday/Wednesday from 8:00AM-7:00PM, and Tuesday/Thursday from 8:00AM-5:00PM.

residential apartment building at 419 Lee Burbank Highway, Revere, MA 02151:

1. RRO Section 17.24.010 (q) with respect to minimum side yard setback requirement of 15 feet for residential uses within the GB District; 2. RRO Section 17.24.010 (q) with respect to minimum rear yard setback requirement of 20 feet for residential uses within the GB District; 3. RRO Section 17.24.010 with respect to maximum FAR requirement of 1.5 within the GB District; 4. RRO Section 17.24.010 with respect to maximum height requirement of 50 feet within the GB District;

5. RRO Section 17.28.020 with respect to minimum parking requirements for residential apartment use within the GB District;

6. RRO Section 17.28.040 with respect to minimum driveway aisle width requirement of 22 feet for two way traffic. A copy of the aforementioned proposed plan and application (A-23-39) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday/Wednesday from 8:00AM-7:00PM, and Tuesday/Thursday from 8:00AM-5:00PM. Ashley E. Melnik, Clerk **City of Revere** Zoning Board of Appeals

02151: 1. RRO Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum side yard setback requirement of 20 feet within the HB District; 2. RRO Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum rear yard setback requirement of 30 feet within the HB District; 3. RRO Section 17.24.010 with respect to minimum front vard setback requirement of 20 feet within the HB District; 4. RRO Section 17.24.010 with respect to maximum FAR of 1.0 within the HB District: 5. RRO Section 17.24.010

with respect to minimum lot area requirement of 15,000 s.f. within the HB District:

6. RRO Section 17.28.020 with respect to minimum parking requirements for apartment use. A copy of the aforementioned plan and application (A-23-38) is on file and available for public inspection in the office of the City Clerk, Revere City Hall, Revere, Massachusetts, Monday through Thursday from 8:15 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and Friday from 8:15 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. Ashley E. Melnik, Clerk **City of Revere Zoning Board of Appeals** 11/15/23, 11/22/23

**DO YOU NEED TO RUN A LEGAL NOTICE?** DON'T FORGET TO CHECK WITH THE COURTS TO SEE IF YOU QUALIFY FOR A FEE WAIVER

OR COURT

Attest: Paul Kenneally

# A STROLL THROUGH TIME

the REVERE JOURNAL VOLUME FIFTY-ONE, NO. 47

REVERE, MASS., NOVEMBER 19, 1932

"ADJUSTMENT IS REVERE HIGH TO

## CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR ADDRESS THE MEN'S CLUB

November meeting of the Re-result of the Relation of the Re-sult of the second of th the club and women Net of the club and women sho went to hear the four dates for the primary nomina-for mayor of Revere. for mayor of Revere. Spening the meeting, Presi-park P. Morse stated that the preservet endorsed a com-

prank P. Morse stated that the has never yet endorsed a can-for any office, but has given gidates the privilege of address-be members and friends of the regular meeting.

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we need leadership in the cities re need leadership in the cities towns of the Commonwealth," lectared. "A leader must have ment and a level head. We must leadership of the finest sort to as into a condition of plenty poperity." John E. Walsh was the next

r John E. Walsh was the next set. He told of a friend who said to him: "I hear you are addate for mayor of Revere." " said the doctor. Then the d said. "You must be a glutton yunishment!" Dr. Walsh read amment recently made by Theo-Waddell, State Director of Ac-waddell, State Director of Acs to the effect that in good municipalities should set aside

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## TOMAN MANAGES 10 FOIL HOLD UP MAN AT DOOR

In Susle Waugh, 60, a widow, of Penno street, had presence of m enough yesterday morning to m her front door and foll an att to hold her up in her home. This the holdup man stood on threshold with a gun pressed minst her, Mrs. Waugh screamed, the door to and telephoned

The bandit ran down the steps, mped into a small black coupe and we away in the direction of Chel-

(Continued on Page Eight) ection Will Verify Officers Of Beachmont Catholic Club



MAYOR ANDREW A. CASASSA Candidate for Re-election

#### The speaker said there is no de-pression in America. If you take the people of any European country they will tell you America is the land of "Milk and Honey", but we in America have been used to so much that we demand too much, but we much realize we are in a chora **RALLY PROVES A BIG SUCCESS FOR** we must realize we are in a chang-ing world and must change with it. He said business is just like life, we CASASSA SLATE

One of the largest rallies of the local city political campaign was held last Wednesday night in City Hall. The hall was packed to the doors and enthustically greeted Mayor An-A. Casassa.

Owing to the rain that started shortly before the opening hour of the rally, the chairman of the meet-ing, Joseph Nutlle, introduced the first speaker, Wendell P. Murray, many minutes after the time set and he was interruted at interrule many minutes after the time set and he was interrupted at intervals by the people entering the hall and seeking advantageous seats. Before the second speaker, Charles Lom-bardi, candidate for councilman from Ward Four, had finished his talk the

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SENATORIAL VOTE **RECOUNT AT SAME** TIME AS STATE'S

City Clerk Albert J. Brown this week confirmed a report that the Brodbine-Crowley recount of votes would be made at the same time as the recount of several other candi-dates of higher State offices is made. Both Frank D. Crowley of Chel-sea, who at present is the Senator-Elect, and Senator Conde Brodbine, of this city, filed petitions at the city clerk's office last Saturday. As a State recount has been requested of the Bacon-Swift, Cook-Buckley, and Warner-Buckley votes, it has

**REVALUATION**" SO MEET WALTHAM SAYS A. P. DUNK IN GAME TODAY At the regular monthly meeting of the Revere Chamber of Commerce held Tuesday evening in the ban-quet room of the City Hall, a splen-did and inspiring speech was given by the guest speaker, Mr. Andrew P. Dunk of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, on "Present day conditions and what can be done to remedy them." TODAYS LINE-UPS AT WALTHAM

 
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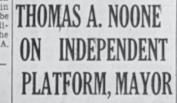
The Revere High School football team goes to Waltham today for a football game with the strong Watch City eleven. After taking the measure of Medford on last Satur-day afternoon, the Revere High grid-sters are confident of being able to annex a victory over their opponents. However, Waltham can be depend-ed upon to put up a strong game and the local lads will have to play heads-up football all during the af-ternoon. ternoon

ternoon. To date, Revere High has won three games, been tied in two, and lost two in the seven contests they have played. Should Revere be able to put across a victory today it would mean a very successful season, inas-much as the locals have more than held their own with the best high school teams in the state in the sea-son soon to close

Waltham in the state in the sea-son soon to close Waltham in their last two games have been tled by Newton, 0 to 0, and Medford at 6 to 6. Their com-plete record for the season is as fol-lows: Waltham 26, Dover, N. H. 0.

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Waltham	17, Watertown 6.	
	0, Haverhill 7.	
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Waltham	6, Medford 6.	
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game away from hom for the Revere team this year and the next to the last one on their schedule. The game with Lynn General Electric alone remains to be played on Paul Revere Park, Thanks-giving Day morning.



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DR. PAUL R. DONOVAN New President of Kiwanis Club

## PROF. MORSE AT ANNUAL MEETING WORCESTER IN

Prof. Frank P. Morse, former head-master of the Revere High School, and residing at 15 Victoria street,

and residing at 15 Victoria street, this city, yesterday attended the 10th annual meeting of the Massachus-etts Junior High School Principals' Association at the Providence street junior high school in Worcester. Charles A. DuBols, headmaster of the Williams School, Chelsea, and president of the association, was in charge of the meeting. Prof. Morse, who is supervisor of the secondary education in this state, brought the greetings of the State Board of Edu-cation. cation.

Thie morning, session opened at ine morning session opened at 9 o'clock. A cafeteria lunch was serv-ed in the school lunch room at 12:45. The afternoon session open-ed at 1:45. John Lund, superintend-ent of schools for Newton, was the Deaker

William H. Crafts, headmaster of the Carter school, and Leo P. Casey, headmaster of the Shurtleff school, both of Chelsea, attended the meet-

#### Alcohol And Gasoline, Mixed, Net Malden Man Bad Injuries

An automobile owned and operat-ed by Joseph G. Gowell of 65 Revere street, Malden, was in collision wih a ruck owned and operaed by Simon L. Klane of 484 Revere street on Washington avenue Wednesday af-ternoon. ternoon.

Cowell was arrested, charged with drunkenness, and was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital with serious head injuries, where he is being held for observation. He was not able to appear in court Thurs- football and stressed its great value

## DR. DONOVAN IS CHOSEN KIWANIS HEAD FOR YEAR

SINGLE COPIES, FIVE CENTS

The Revere Kiwanis Club elected its third president from the medical profession on Wednesday when Dr. Paul R. Donovan was made the head Paul R. Donoval was made the forthcoming year. At present the presiding offi-cer is Dr. George Bruns, who upon being succeeded by Dr. Donovan will become the immediate past president.

dent. This election is unique in that the first president of the local club was a doctor, Dr. Frank E. Rowe, who was in turn followed by Dr. Bruns, who now steps aside for Dr. Dono-van to assume the presidential office. Besides Dr. Donovan, the follow-ing were elected by the Kiwanians as officers for the ensuing year: Carmine D. Perrotti, first vice-president; Arthur H. Curtis, second vice-president, and Eldon Everett, re-elected treasurer.

The following were chosen to serve as directors: Mayor Andrew A. Cas-assa, Ernest Acker, Rev. E. Ambrose Jenkins, Samuel Alessi, Sydney J. Clarke, James O'Donnell, Dr. Frank B. Bowe, Ernest Barke and Josenb Rowe, Ernest Banks and Joseph Ginsburg.

A rehearsal of the coming Kiwanis Frolic which is under the chair-manship of Dr. Rowe, to be held in the High School auditorium Novemthe High School auditorium Novem-ber 30, was presented under the di-rection of the coach, Tom Senna. Roland Horton, Dr. Bruns, Dr. Don-ovan, Jahnes A. Lockhart, Edwin Goss and Carmen Perrotti, who are to take the part of end men went through their routine so ably that if the rest of the cast is as good, the frolic gives promise of being a huge suc-cess.

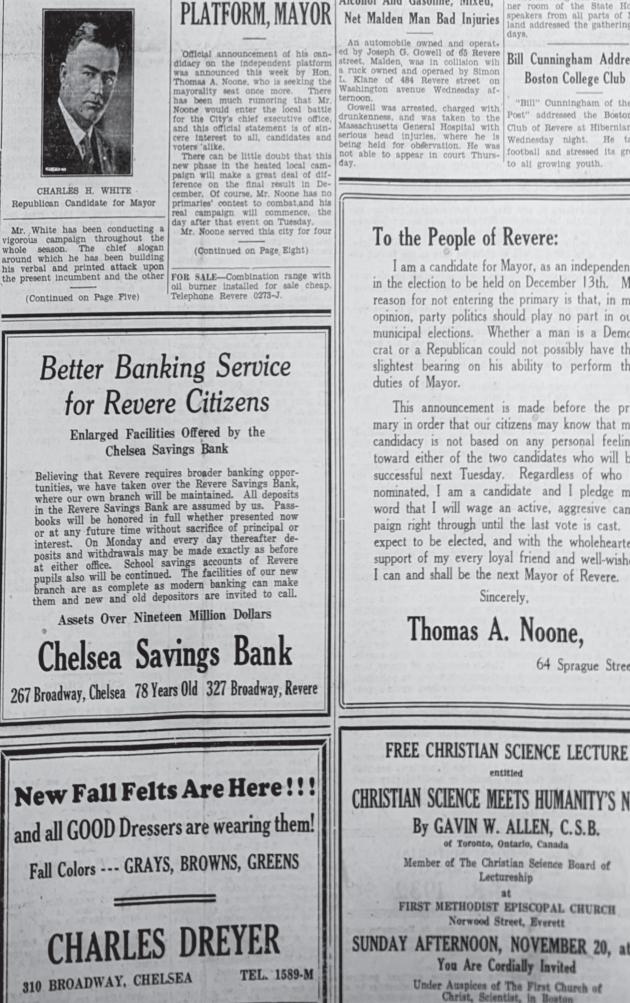
## SUPT. LINDSTOL **ATTENDS SCHOOL** HEADS' MEETING

Supt. of Schools Carl F. Lindstol of this city attended the session of the New England Teacher Training Asso-ciation and the N. E. and Mass. As-sociation of School Superintendents

at the State House in Boston Thurs-day and Friday of this week. The meeting was held in the Gard-ner room of the State House, and speakers from all parts of New Eng-land addressed the gathering on both days days

## **Bill Cunningham Addresses** Boston College Club Meeting

"Bill" Cunningham of the "Poston Post" addressed the Boston College Club of Revere at Hibernian Hall on Wednesday night. He talked on to all growing youth.



SUNDAY, FEATURE WHITE CAMPAIGN Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock one of the most important rallies in the mayorality campaign will be held by Charles H. White, Republi-can candidate who is seeing the candidate, is seeking the can candidate, who is seeking the nomination against Mayor Andrew A.

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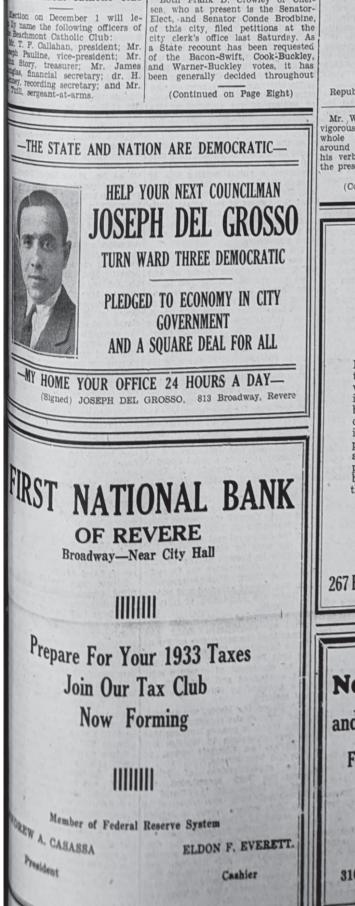
of his qualities. The speaker said there is no de-

pass from stage to stage and the sane man is the one who takes these changes as the evolution of life. The

speaker then added, "Why not forget about five years ago when business was good, those days are gone and we must change with them." Mr. Dunk said: "You and Old Age

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**CITY HALL RALLY** 



## To the People of Revere:

I am a candidate for Mayor, as an independent, in the election to be held on December 13th. My reason for not entering the primary is that, in my opinion, party politics should play no part in our municipal elections. Whether a man is a Democrat or a Republican could not possibly have the slightest bearing on his ability to perform the duties of Mayor.

This announcement is made before the primary in order that our citizens may know that my candidacy is not based on any personal feeling toward either of the two candidates who will be successful next Tuesday. Regardless of who is nominated, I am a candidate and I pledge my word that I will wage an active, aggresive campaign right through until the last vote is cast. expect to be elected, and with the wholehearted support of my every loyal friend and well-wisher I can and shall be the next Mayor of Revere.

Sincerely,

Thomas A. Noone,

64 Sprague Street.

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